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SEEKING WEAK PLACE IN LINE

Germans Attack Russians in Northern Poland.

BRINGING UP FRESH TROOPS

Two Big Battles Are Developing on the Eastern Front—French and German Reports Disagree on Operations in the West—Allied Warships Continue Firing on Dardanelles Forts.

London, March 11.—Balked at other points the Germans are making another attempt to break through the Russian line of fortresses in Northern Poland.

They are advancing from Khorjele, on the East Prussian frontier, along the Orzye river and by the roads leading southward to Przyszyna.

This is one of the routes the Germans took in their advance in February, which ended in their defeat at Przyszyna.

For their new attempt they have brought up troops which have been operating in the region of Grodno and some of the new army which has been training since the outbreak of the war in the interior of Germany.

The point selected for the attack is the most favorable along the East Prussian front, for the splendid railway system can bring troops and supplies to the border, from which good roads lead to Przyszyna.

Two Battles in Progress.

A big battle is developing in this region, while one of almost equal importance is in progress farther north in the region of Suwalki, where the Russians have pressed the German offensive on the Pilica river, and in the Carpathians they are withstanding continued attacks along the whole front.

In the Western war zone the fighting has been confined to the Champagne region, the Argonne and the Vosges, although there has been an occasional skirmish north of Arras.

The Germans, in a long report issued, say that the French offensive in Champagne has been fruitless, which is at variance with the French reports of almost daily progress.

So far as the operations in the Dardanelles are concerned the most significant news is that the superdreadnought Queen Elizabeth has entered the straits and commenced to bombard the forts in the narrows by direct fire.

It is considered certain that Vice Admiral Carden would not allow his biggest ship to pass the entrance unless it was fairly safe.

NEUTRALS AID WAR LOAN

Acc Furnishing Money Liberally to German Government.

Berlin, March 11.—Subscriptions to the new war loan are being received on a considerable scale from the neutral countries.

Foreign investors were virtually unrepresented in the first war loan, but the low rates of German exchange now prevailing apparently have attracted outside capitalists, who seem to see an opportunity to realize large returns by buying when money is cheap and selling at a profit when normal rates of exchange are restored at the conclusion of peace.

The newspaper reports indicate that German subscriptions to the loan are arriving satisfactorily and say it is generally expected that the present loan will have results equal to those of the September issue.

APPEALS FOR FRISCO JAPS

Asks for Protection Against Chinese "Picketing."

San Francisco, March 11.—C. T. Sagar, secretary of the Japanese Association of America, appealed to Chief of Police White for protection for Japanese merchants against what he alleged amounts to picketing of Japanese stores by Chinese as the result of a boycott declared recently because of Japan's demands upon the Chinese republic.

The boycott has been of little effect, the appeal states, and the possibility of future trouble is given as the reason for asking protection.

MILES FOR PEACE TEMPLE

Retired Leader Speaks in Favor of Monument.

Concord, N. H., March 11.—General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., retired, advocated before the legislature the proposal to erect a "temple of peace" at Put-in-Bay, O., to commemorate one hundred years of peace between Great Britain and the United States.

Such a monument, he said, would have a strong tendency to crystallize and strengthen the sentiment for peace.

JUSTICE PAGE.

Presiding at Trial of Harry K. Thaw.



Photo by American Press Association.

THAW SLEEPING ON COUCH

Trial Judge Lends Him Bed on Account of Illness.

New York, March 11.—Harry Kendall Thaw, on trial here with five co-defendants for conspiring to escape from the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, was so ill at the conclusion of the proceedings that Justice Page, before whom the trial is in progress, had the couch in his chambers moved to the Tombs prison for Thaw to sleep on.

Thaw is suffering from rheumatism, brought on, it is said by the jail physician, by the draughts in his cell.

While he sat in court listening to the state's witnesses tracing his flight from Matteawan to New Hampshire, Thaw had a shawl thrown over one shoulder and the neck of a heavy sweater turned up to his ears.

ONLY TEN SAVED ON GERMAN SUBMARINE

British Destroyer Rams and Sinks the U-12.

London, March 11.—The British admiralty announced that the German submarine, which was rammed and sunk by the British torpedo boat destroyer Ariel, was the U-12 instead of the U-20, as previously stated. The admiralty statement said:

"Later and more detailed reports have been received which establish the fact that the German submarine which was rammed and sunk by H. M. S. Ariel was the U-12 and that out of her crew of twenty-eight the number saved was ten."

The submarine U-12 was an older and smaller vessel than the U-20. It was of the class built in 1910-11. Its displacement was 250 tons and it had a maximum cruising radius of 1,200 miles.

The U-12 has taken an active part in the German operations against British shipping. On Feb. 12 it sank the small Irish coasting steamer Downshire in the Irish sea after giving the crew five minutes in which to leave their ship.

FRYE IS INSURED BY GOVERNMENT BUREAU.

Washington, March 11.—The owners of the destroyed ship Frye took out a policy for \$1,550 with the government war risk bureau last October and this may play a part in determining her status as a carrier of cargo not subject to seizure.

The Frye's policy contained a clause guaranteeing the cargo noncontraband and not designed for belligerent vessels.

GOVERNMENT SEIZES COPPER

Swiss Papers Expose Shipments to Germany.

Geneva, March 11.—Large quantities of copper from Italy destined for Germany were seized by the Swiss authorities at Chiasso. The method employed for some time, according to Swiss officials, has been to send contraband from Genoa in sealed cars labeled Amsterdam.

These cars have passed through Switzerland and on crossing the German frontier have been taken in charge by the German authorities, who removed the freight and returned the cars to Italy. The newspapers have published articles exposing this traffic.

EXPORTS SHOW VAST INCREASE

Woolen Goods Seem to Lead in Foreign Demand.

FIGURES FOR LAST JANUARY

Department of Commerce Issues Report Showing Remarkable Growth in Exports of Merchandise of Nearly Every Description.

Washington, March 11.—Marked increases in exports of manufactures of nearly every description during the month of January were announced by the department of commerce. January exports were shown to be valued at \$263,600,000, or \$62,000,000 more than was exported in January, 1914.

Iron and steel products shipped abroad exceeded in value the total for January a year ago by about \$1,500,000, exports of brass goods doubled in value, fruit and nuts increased by more than \$1,000,000, leather and leather goods trebled, meat and dairy products increased about 30 per cent, cotton goods doubled, chemicals increased 50 per cent, automobiles rose from less than \$1,000,000 to \$2,500,000, India rubber goods nearly doubled, refined sugar quadrupled, woolen goods rose from about \$333,000 to \$3,000,000, and spelter from less than \$30,000 to \$2,000,000.

The only important commercial products which failed to show increases over January, 1914, were raw cotton, lumber, naval stores, refined mineral oils, agricultural implements and copper manufactures.

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La Crosse, Wis., March 11.—Becoming insane in his room at a boarding house here Albert Valeski, twenty-eight years old, cut his throat with a pocket knife after members of the police and fire departments had made preparations to turn a stream of water into the room to "drown him out."

For more than an hour he held at bay the police and fire departments of La Crosse, while several hundred persons had collected in the street to watch the siege of the rooming house.

Brandishing his knife Valeski threatened to kill those who tried to get him to come into the hallway. He will live.

GOES TO SALE ON SPECIAL

Auctioneer Hires Train After Failing to Make Connections.

Aberdeen, S. D., March 11.—When Colonel A. J. Benson of Sheldon, Ia., arrived here on his way to Langford he found that he had missed the St. Paul road train. He was due at Langford to cry for a sale for H. O. Wickre. The roads were too full of snow to permit passage by automobile.

Colonel Benson phoned Mr. Wickre and told of his predicament. "Hire a special train," came back the word over the wire.

The auctioneer arranged for the special and reached Langford in time to cry the sale. The special cost him \$132.

NEW ST. PAUL POSTMASTER

Otto N. Rath is Given Recess Appointment.

Washington, March 11.—Otto N. Rath was given a recess appointment as postmaster of St. Paul and probably will qualify as the successor of Edward Yanish, the incumbent, in about ten days or two weeks.

As a matter of routine a form of bond will be forwarded to Mr. Rath at once and upon its return a commission will be issued to him.

It is expected that the new postmaster will visit Washington for a conference with the officials soon after he takes the oath of office.

WIFE OF SECRETARY DIES

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ALLEGED INJURIES IN RIOT

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New Brunswick, N. J., March 11.—Twelve suits for damages, aggregating \$120,000, growing out of the shooting of strikers at Roosevelt, N. J., by chemical plant guards Jan. 19 last, were filed in supreme court here against the American Agricultural Chemical company of Roosevelt.

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A bill was introduced this afternoon by Senator Andrews to compel highwaymen to secure licenses in order to transact business.

Silence Batteries Regardless of Cost

(By United Press)

London, March 11.—Under strict orders to silence the batteries at any cost four British ships are pumping shells at the Turkish fort Namazieh at the entrance of the Dardanelles narrows. No firing is heard at Smyrna and it is believed that British Rear Admiral Pierce has permitted a cessation of firing to allow the noncombatants to escape.

TO HELP KEEP NEUTRALITY

Secretary Daniels Orders Naval Yacht Dolphin to New York.

Washington, March 11.—Secretary Daniels ordered the naval yacht Dolphin from the Washington navy yard to New York to aid in the enforcement of neutrality in the harbor there.

SEEKING WEAK PLACE IN LINE

Germans Attack Russians in Northern Poland.

BRINGING UP FRESH TROOPS

Two Big Battles Are Developing on the Eastern Front—French and German Reports Disagree on Operations in the West—Allied Warships Continue Firing on Dardanelles Forts.

London, March 11.—Balked at other points the Germans are making another attempt to break through the Russian line of fortresses in Northern Poland.

They are advancing from Khorjele, on the East Prussian frontier, along the Orzyc river and by the roads leading southward to Przasnysz.

This is one of the routes the Germans took in their advance in February, which ended in their defeat at Przasnysz.

For their new attempt they have brought up troops which have been operating in the region of Grodno and some of the new army which has been training since the outbreak of the war in the interior of Germany.

The point selected for the attack is the most favorable along the East Prussian front, for the splendid railway system can bring troops and supplies to the border, from which good roads lead to Przasnysz.

Two Battles in Progress.

A big battle is developing in this region, while one of almost equal importance is in progress farther north in the region of Suwalki, where the Russians have pressed the German offensive on the Pilica river, and in the Carpathians they are withstanding continued attacks along the whole front.

In the Western war zone the fighting has been confined to the Champagne region, the Argonne and the Vosges, although there has been an occasional skirmish north of Arras.

The Germans, in a long report issued, say that the French offensive in Champagne has been fruitless, which is at variance with the French reports of almost daily progress.

So far as the operations in the Dardanelles are concerned the most significant news is that the superdreadnought Queen Elizabeth has entered the straits and commenced to bombard the forts in the narrows by direct fire.

It is considered certain that Vice Admiral Carden would not allow his biggest ship to pass the entrance unless it was fairly safe.

NEUTRALS AID WAR LOAN

Are Furnishing Money Liberally to German Government.

Berlin, March 11.—Subscriptions to the new war loan are being received on a considerable scale from the neutral countries.

Foreign investors were virtually unrepresented in the first war loan, but the low rates of German exchange now prevailing apparently have attracted outside capitalists, who seem to see an opportunity to realize large returns by buying when money is cheap and selling at a profit when normal rates of exchange are restored at the conclusion of peace.

The newspaper reports indicate that German subscriptions to the loan are arriving satisfactorily and say it is generally expected that the present loan will have results equal to those of the September issue.

APPEALS FOR FRISCO JAPS

Asks for Protection Against Chinese "Picketing."

San Francisco, March 11.—C. T. S. Lanza, secretary of the Japanese Association of America, appealed to Chief of Police White for protection for Japanese merchants against what he alleged amounts to picketing of Japanese stores by Chinese as the result of a boycott declared recently because of Japan's demands upon the Chinese Republic.

The boycott has been of little effect, the appeal states, and the possibility of future trouble is given as the reason for asking protection.

MILES FOR PEACE TEMPLE

Retired Leader Speaks in Favor of Monument.

Concord, N. H., March 11.—General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., retired, advocated before the legislature the proposal to erect a "temple of peace" at Put-in-Bay, O., to commemorate one hundred years of peace between Great Britain and the United States.

Such a monument, he said, would have a strong tendency to crystallize and strengthen the sentiment for peace.

JUSTICE PAGE.

Presiding at Trial of Harry K. Thaw.



Photo by American Press Association.

THAW SLEEPING ON COUCH

Trial Judge Lends Him Bed on Account of Illness.

New York, March 11.—Harry Kendall Thaw, on trial here with five co-defendants for conspiring to escape from the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, was so ill at the conclusion of the proceedings that Justice Page, before whom the trial is in progress, had the couch in his chambers moved to the Tombs prison for Thaw to sleep on.

Thaw is suffering from rheumatism, brought on, it is said by the jail physician, by the draughts in his cell.

While he sat in court listening to the state's witnesses tracing his flight from Matteawan to New Hampshire, Thaw had a shawl thrown over one shoulder and the neck of a heavy sweater turned up to his ears.

ONLY TEN SAVED ON GERMAN SUBMARINE

British Destroyer Rams and Sinks the U-12.

London, March 11.—The British admiralty announced that the German submarine, which was rammed and sunk by the British torpedo boat destroyer Ariel, was the U-12 instead of the U-20, as previously stated. The admiralty statement said:

"Later and more detailed reports have been received which establish the fact that the German submarine which was rammed and sunk by H. M. S. Ariel was the U-12 and that out of her crew of twenty-eight the number saved was ten."

The submarine U-12 was an older and smaller vessel than the U-20. It was of the class built in 1910-11. Its displacement was 250 tons and it had a maximum cruising radius of 1,200 miles.

The U-12 has taken an active part in the German operations against British shipping. On Feb. 12 it sank the small Irish coasting steamer Downshire in the Irish sea after giving the crew five minutes in which to leave their ship.

FRYE IS INSURED BY GOVERNMENT BUREAU.

Washington, March 11.—The owners of the destroyed ship Frye took out a policy for \$11,550 with the government war risk bureau last October and this may play a part in determining her status as a carrier of cargo not subject to seizure.

The Frye's policy contained a clause guaranteeing the cargo noncontraband and not designed for belligerent vessels.

GOVERNMENT SEIZES COPPER

Swiss Papers Expose Shipments to Germany.

Geneva, March 11.—Large quantities of copper from Italy destined for Germany were seized by the Swiss authorities at Chiasso. The method employed for some time, according to Swiss officials, has been to send contraband from Genoa in sealed cars labeled Amsterdam.

These cars have passed through Switzerland and on crossing the German frontier have been taken in charge by the German authorities, who removed the freight and returned the cars to Italy. The newspapers have published articles exposing this traffic.

EXPORTS SHOW VAST INCREASE

Woolen Goods Seem to Lead in Foreign Demand.

FIGURES FOR LAST JANUARY

Department of Commerce Issues Report Showing Remarkable Growth in Exports of Merchandise of Nearly Every Description.

Washington, March 11.—Marked increases in exports of manufactures of nearly every description during the month of January were announced by the department of commerce. January exports were shown to be valued at \$263,600,000, or \$62,000,000 more than was exported in January, 1914.

Iron and steel products shipped abroad exceeded in value the total for January a year ago by about \$1,500,000, exports of brass goods doubled in value, fruit and nuts increased by more than \$1,000,000, leather and leather goods trebled, meat and dairy products increased about 30 per cent, cotton goods doubled, chemicals increased 50 per cent, automobiles rose from less than \$1,000,000 to \$2,500,000, India rubber goods nearly doubled, refined sugar quadrupled, woolen goods rose from about \$333,000 to \$3,000,000, and spelter from less than \$30,000 to \$2,000,000.

The only important commercial products which failed to show increases over January, 1914, were raw cotton, lumber, naval stores, refined mineral oils, agricultural implements and copper manufactures.

MANIAC WARDS OFF POLICE

Cuts Throat After Firemen Threaten to Turn Horse on Room.

La Crosse, Wis., March 11.—Becoming insane in his room at a boarding house here, Albert Valeski, twenty-eight years old, cut his throat with a pocket knife after members of the police and fire departments had made preparations to turn a stream of water into the room to "drown him out."

For more than an hour he held at bay the police and fire departments of La Crosse, while several hundred persons had collected in the street to watch the siege of the rooming house. Brandishing his knife Valeski threatened to kill those who tried to get him to come into the hallway. He will live.

GOES TO SALE ON SPECIAL

Auctioneer Hires Train After Failing to Make Connections.

Aberdeen, S. D., March 11.—When Colonel A. J. Benson of Sheldon, Ia., arrived here on his way to Langford he found that he had missed the St. Paul road train. He was due at Langford to cry for a sale for H. O. Wickre. The roads were too full of snow to permit passage by automobile.

Colonel Benson phoned Mr. Wickre and told of his predicament.

"Hire a special train," came back the word over the wire.

The auctioneer arranged for the special and reached Langford in time to cry the sale. The special cost him \$132.

NEW ST. PAUL POSTMASTER

Otto N. Rath is Given Recess Appointment.

Washington, March 11.—Otto N. Rath was given a recess appointment as postmaster of St. Paul and probably will qualify as the successor of Edward Yanish, the incumbent, in about ten days or two weeks.

As a matter of routine a form of bond will be forwarded to Mr. Rath at once and upon its return a commission will be issued to him.

It is expected that the new postmaster will visit Washington for a conference with the officials soon after he takes the oath of office.

WIFE OF SECRETARY DIES

Mrs. Augustine Birrell Expires in London.

London, March 11.—Mrs. Augustine Birrell, wife of the chief secretary for Ireland, is dead.

ALLEGED INJURIES IN RIOT

Twelve Suits for Damages Filed Against Roosevelt, N. J., Firm.

New Brunswick, N. J., March 11.—Twelve suits for damages, aggregating \$120,000, growing out of the shooting of strikers at Roosevelt, N. J., by chemical plant guards Jan. 19 last, were filed in supreme court here against the American Agricultural Chemical company of Roosevelt.

The plaintiffs are twelve men injured in the disturbance on that day.

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Colds are Often Most Serious—Stop
Possible Complications

The disregard of a cold has often
brought many a regret. The fact
of sneezing, coughing, or a fever
should be warning enough that your
system needs immediate attention.
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OR DOES SOMEBODY ELSE WHO DOES NOT EARN IT?

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WHILE YOU ARE MAKING MONEY BANK IT AND BE FIXED
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**THE WEATHER**

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours.
Fair today and Friday.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

William Fenske went to Little Falls
this afternoon.

James Nelson, of Crosby, went to
St. Paul this afternoon.

New Victor Records—"Michael's,"
J. E. Goodman, of Duluth, was in
the city yesterday and today.

W. S. Pitt and B. B. Gaylord, of
Crosby, were in the city today.

County Attorney S. F. Alderman
returned from Crosby this noon.

Netleton Sells and Rents Houses.
Col. Freeman Thorp, of Hubert,
was a Brainerd business visitor today.

There will be services at 7:30 Fri-
day evening at St. Paul's Episcopal
church.

Rev. Eloy Carlson went to Deer-
wood this afternoon, to return in the
evening.

For Sale Mill wood. Phone 36-R.
W. E. Hodgins, of the Hodgins Con-
struction Co., went to Walker this
afternoon.

Attorney M. E. Ryan has been at
International Falls attending to legal
matters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Breen, of Crosby,
are the proud parents of twins, a boy
and a girl.

For SPRING WATER Phone 264.
—Adv't. 24411

The Law Enforcement League will
hold a meeting in Gardner hall to-
morrow night to consider matters re-
lative to the coming political cam-
paign.

Next Sunday evening at the Swed-
ish Baptist church the service will
be held in English. The singing and
Pastor Colvin's sermon will all be in
English. One and all are cordially
invited to attend.

Fire at 3:30 this morning called
the department to the Brainerd cafe
of Tom Mansuras where a chimney
fire had burned a hole in the roof.
It was quickly extinguished, no dam-
age being done to the restaurant.

Large garpe fruit, 5c each. Or-
anges 15c dozen. Turcotte Bros.—
Adv't. 23611

On display at the J. F. Murphy &
Co. clothing store is the Fred Gil-
bert trophy, a silver loving cup, to be
contested for by members of the Riv-
erside Gun club at the Sunday after-

noon shoot, March 14. The cup was
donated by the Dupont Powder Co.

Judge W. S. McClenahan will leave
Monday for Grand Rapids where he
will hold district court. The first
case on the calendar is a fire case
wherein a railway company is prose-
cuted and it bids fair to last, accord-
ing to reports from counsel, from
three to six weeks.

Electric vacuum cleaner for rent
Brainerd Electric Co. 218-1m

The mid-week service of the First
Congregational church will be held
tonight at the home of Mrs. S. Walk-
er and Mrs. J. L. Frederick, North
Seventh street, a short Lenten ad-
dress will be given by the minister.
Services will commence at 7:30 p.
m. sharp.

Turcotte Bros. new Studebaker
truck was put in commission this
morning and customers were deliver-
ed their groceries with commendable
promptness. Wm. Turcotte says the
truck has enlarged the area of their
operations, customers being taken on
now who in the past had been too
distant from the store. He has re-
ceived six calls for his horse by pos-
sible purchasers.

Warwick whiskey, Schmidt's beer
famous for quality. Tel 164, Coates
Liquor Co.—Adv't. 217-1m

The Bemidji high school basketball
team passed through Brainerd today
on its way to Little Falls to play the
high school team there. They have
won nine victories this season, every
game played. This includes McIn-
tosh, Grand Forks includes two
games from Akeley, two from Brainerd,
also Ada, Aitkin and Park Rap-
ids. A victory over Little Falls to-
night gives them the basketball cham-
pionship of high schools of the sixth
congressional district.

When your chimney clogs up and
smokes, use Anti-Carbon. D. M.
Clark & Co.—Adv't. 20111

MODERN BAYONETS.

Rigid Tests They Must Pass Before
They Go Into Service.

Any soldier will tell you that noth-
ing in his equipment wears better than
his bayonet, for this few inches of
steel seldom snaps or loses its shape
however great the strain imposed upon
it. This is because the modern bay-
onet has to pass through twenty-three
severe tests before it is considered fit
to be attached to a soldier's gun. A
bayonet blade is forged from the
finest steel, and the first stage of its
manufacture consists of heating it un-
til red hot, when it is placed under a
hammer which deals 1,500 blows a
minute. This process results in the
original piece of steel being hammer-
ed out to twice its length. The bar is
then heated again and rolled between
two huge iron cylinders, which press
it into the rough shape of a blade.
Emery wheels then grind its edges un-
til they are as sharp as a razor.

Altogether the bayonet passes through
200 processes before it is ready for the
testing room.

The first test applied to the polished
blade is the "striking" test. A steel
arm grips the bayonet and with great
force drives it against a solid piece of
wood. A badly produced blade snaps
like a needle, but a good piece of steel
emerges from this severe test with its
edges straight and unblunted.

Then comes the bending test. The
point of the bayonet is firmly gripped
in a vice, and it is bent and twisted
into part of a circle. If it survives
this ordeal the blade is placed straight
up under a heavy weight attached to
a lever. The steel is bent beneath the
weight, and to pass this test it must
lift up the mass of iron by its own
elasticity.

However badly bent, a good bayonet
should spring back perfectly straight,
and it is tested for this quality before
leaving the factory. The blade is
placed on a curved block, the point be-
ing secured in a hole. The bayonet is
then bent to the curvature of the
block, and when released it must
spring back to its original straightness
to satisfy the rigid ruling of the in-
spector. Altogether a bayonet has to
pass twenty-three tests with regard to
its accuracy and strength.—London
Answers.

So He Might.

Fair Dog Owner (anxiously)—I am
so afraid poor Floss is going to have
rabies, Mr. Vet. Mr. Vet.—Indeed,
miss! I don't see any signs of it.
Fair Dog Owner—But his poor little
tongue is always hanging out of his
mouth. Mr. Vet.—That, miss, is in ac-
cordance with a merciful dispensation
of Providence. You see, if it hung out
of his ear he might experience some
difficulty in drinking.—Exchange.

Explained.

"Miss Blunt is wonderfully pleased
with her portrait in the paper this
morning."
"Is she? I'm pretty sure nobody
would recognize it."
"Yes, that's what pleases her."—
Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Whole Family.

"What are you doing there with the
paper and scissors, Elsie?"
"Making a pig, mamma."
"A pig! You're making a litter."—
Boston Transcript.

Impossible.

Fortune Teller—I can see money
coming to you and no sickness what-
ever. Client—That's funny. I'm the
new doctor on the floor below!—New
York Globe.

The Styles Are Different

Our Buyers:—who are now in the east say the ex-
treme new style in coats, suits, skirts, dresses and
waists are just beautiful. All these pretty new things
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FROM JAVELIN TO CORDITE.

Cannon and Guns Are Merely in the
Nature of Chemical Catapults—The
Introduction of Explosives and the
Principles Governing Them.

When the first man in the old stone
age thousands of years ago threw his
first javelin against a hairy mammoth
he put his foot over the threshold of
the problem of explosives. For it
seemed to him—and our feelings today
are with him—that it would be more
pleasurable if one could hurt and kill
one's enemy without the gratuitous
thrill of having to sit on the massive
tusk on the verge of a cavernous
mouth or of having to approach with
in a few paces of the huge legs which
might the next moment descend upon
him. It would be more convenient to
stand at the cave entrance on a dizzy
ledge of rock and hurl a weapon at the
distant enemy.

So man was driven to invent the
catapult, and a gun is merely a chemi-
cal catapult. The trigger is pulled
back like the leather of the catapult,
and the sudden and extraordinary ex-
pansion of the explosive corresponds
to the elasticity of the rubber or
spring, the essential feature of both
instruments being the employment of
some source of more than human power
which can be made to yield up its
energy at a given moment in the re-
quired way.

Explosives are, therefore, tabloid en-
ergy or power, and it is a just reminder
of the fact that some substances are
explosive generally, whereas quite a
number of common things may be
made explosive by some particular
kind of treatment. When water boils
on the fire there is no explosion as it
is changed into steam, but if the spout
were sealed and the whole of the wa-
ter could be changed into steam in a
second there would be an explosion.
And the instance is good because it is
really a kitchen model of a volcano.
Moreover, steam guns were used in
America in the sixties.

The essential idea of an explosive is
then the violent release of some pent-
up thing; just the opposite, from this
standpoint, of the catapult, which
works by allowing a distended thing—the
elastic—to contract suddenly, whereas
all explosives release a com-
pressed thing. The release gives rise
to an air wave, and this, of course, is
experienced as a sound. It is the
sound which is popularly called an ex-
plosion.

Now, it has been said that an ex-
plosive is tabloid force, power, energy.
How is it made available? It is easy
to follow the mechanism of an ex-
plosive further. Explosives, as common-
ly used, are solid substances which, by
burning, produce almost instantane-
ously an extraordinary large volume of
gases. The heat and pressure of a
blow cause the burning to start, and
the burning also produces heat which,
acting upon the gases, increases the
volume still further. It may be sug-
gested that there is no obvious reason
why even a sudden and enormous ex-
pansion should cause the damage of
an explosion. And the suggestion is
quite just.

It is only when they are confined
that explosives are really dangerous.
Gunpowder burned in the open merely
causes a noise like "puff" and burns
quickly. Gunpowder may be burned on
the hand—it is not to be recommended
as a fashionable hobby—without any
serious inconvenience. Indeed, gun-
powder was first used as an incendiary
composition. But a firework or a gun
charged with gunpowder will explode
with a loud report and may cause fa-
tal wounds.

Gunpowder is the best known ex-
plosive mixture. It is made from the
commonest ingredients—carbon, sul-
phur and saltpeter. There are several

modifications of gunpowder, other
nitrates being substituted for the salt-
peter—potassium nitrates. The nitrates
give the oxygen to the mixture, with-
out which it would not burn at all.
Other explosive mixtures containing
chlorates which have the same amount
of oxygen as saltpeter and the nitrates.
The different powders are used in dif-
ferent circumstances where a more
violent or a slower or a safe explosive
is required, for it is not always the
same effect which one asks from an
explosive. Velocity may at times be
sacrificed, say, in favor of a higher
weight of common shell. Gunpowder
is a "low" explosive. Its explosion is
slow, and its effect is less violently
disruptive.

Dynamite is probably the best known
"high" explosive, and the name does
not stand for one particular substance,
but for a large class, which are, in ef-
fect, diluted nitroglycerin and which
are generally used for blasting.

Gun cotton may be described as a
nitrate of cotton wool (which the
chemist would call cellulose). Both
nitroglycerin and gun cotton are less
useful as explosives themselves than
their derivatives, although Russia and
the United States use compressed wet
gun cotton in their high explosive
shells. One of the most famous de-
rivatives is the smokeless propellant
called cordite.—Philadelphia Ledger.

It is not what the best men do but
what they are that constitutes their
beneficence to their fellow men.—Phil-
lips Brooks.

WATER AND LIGHT.

Why One Can See Deep Into the Sea
When High Above It.

The reason why one is able to see to
a greater depth in water when he is
at a considerable height above it than
when he stands on a level with it is be-
cause of the absence of pronounced re-
fraction by the molecules of water.
One above the surface of perfectly
still water, looking exactly downward
toward the center of the earth, will
see an object deep in the water by
means of rays of light that have been
reflected vertically upward. Therefore
there is no refraction or bending the
rays out of their straight course from
object to eye.

But if you attempt to see an object at
the bottom of a lake when standing on
the bank the light has to traverse a
much greater thickness of water,
which quenches a portion, or maybe
all, of the waves of light, and all not
quenched are bent to quite a distance
out of the original straight line. And the
well known index of refraction of light
(if of one kind) from water to air is
1.336, or the ratio of the sines of angles
of incidence and refraction.

Proof: Place a straight stick in a
basin, and it will appear to be straight
as it really is; pour in water and the
stick will appear to be bent by the
phenomena attending refraction. For
without refraction of light by glass,
for instance, we could not have tele-
scopes and microscopes.—Edgar Lu-
cien Larkin in New York American.

Earning a Spanking.

A lady who had company to tea re-
proved her little son several times,
speaking, however, very gently. At
last, out of patience, she said sharply:
"Jimmy, if you don't keep still I'll
send you away from the table!"

"Yes; that's what you always do
when there's company and there are
not enough cakes to go round!" Was
the reply of the gifted youth.—Pear-
son's Weekly.

Curious Old Lace.

Of all the curious kinds of lace, espe-
cially old lace, the most curious is that
which is called point tresse. It is very
rare and was made of human hair.
French collectors say it exists in the
present day only in their cabinets. It
was confined to the early part of the
sixteenth century.

A Musical Feud.

"How do you like your new hat?"
"All right, except that a fellow
around the hall is learning to play the
cornet."
"You ought to get a trombone."
"I did; that's why he got the cor-
net."—Boston Transcript.

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Mason's Magic Shampoo cleanses the
scalp thoroughly and frees it from dandruff
and excessive oil. The tonic action of its
vegetable oils and antiseptics stimulates the
underlying glands and promotes growth of
the hair, giving it softness and a beautiful,
silkly lustre. Hair dries quickly and evenly
and is easy to do up. Use Mason's Magic
Shampoo for 60 days and you'll marvel at
your beautiful hair. 25c—50c per package.

This is a remarkable genuine hair tonic,
different from and vastly superior to all
others. It positively contains no alcohol.
Alcohol too quickly absorbs the natural oil
of the hair and scalp, making it excessively
dry and thereby creates dandruff and brittle
hair. Mason's Magic Hair Tonic keeps the
scalp in a healthy condition free from dan-
druff and by its stimulating action of the hair
follicles, aids the growth of the hair. It al-
most immediately stops the hair from fall-
ing out and speedily creates a new and
abundant growth. Money refunded if it
fails. 25c per bottle.

On sale at H. P. Dunn's Drug Store.

ANTICS OF TUMBLEWEED.

This Curious Bushy Growth Is the
Clown of Vegetation.

Though Mark Twain tells about co-
yotes and prairie dogs, animals which I
looked for, but regret to say I did not
see, he ignores the tumbleweed, the
most curious thing—animal, vegetable
or mineral—that crossed my vision as
I crossed the plain. I cannot under-
stand why Mark Twain did not men-
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wasn't crawling, it wasn't running,
but it was traveling fast with a rolling,
tossing, careening motion like a bar-
rel half full of whisky going down
hill. Now it tilted one way, now an-
other; now it shot swiftly into some
slight depression in the plain, but only
to come bounding lightly out again
with an air indescribably gay, aban-
doned and insane.

Soon we saw another and another.
They became more and more common
as we went along until presently they
were everywhere, careening in their
maudlin course across the prairie and
piled high against the fences along
the railroad's right of way like great
concealing snowdrifts.

Tumbleweed is the clown of veg-
etation, and it has the air as it rolls
along of being conscious of its comical-
ity, like the smart caniche in the dog
show which goes and overturns the
basket behind the trainer's back or the
circus clown who runs about with a
rolling gait, tripping, turning double
and triple somersaults, rising, running
on, tripping, falling and turning over
and over again.—Julian Street in Col-
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The disregard of a cold has often
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system needs immediate attention.
Certainly loss of sleep is most serious.
It is a warning given by nature. It
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coal is all carefully inspected be-
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YOUR "EARNING POWER" CANNOT LAST ALWAYS.
WHILE YOU ARE MAKING MONEY BANK IT AND BE FIXED
FOR OLD AGE.

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**THE WEATHER**

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours.
Fair today and Friday.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

William Fenske went to Little Falls
this afternoon.

James Nelson, of Crosby, went to
St. Paul this afternoon.

New Victor Records—"Michael's."
J. E. Goodman, of Duluth, was in
the city yesterday and today.

W. S. Pitt and B. B. Gaylord, of
Crosby, were in the city today.

County Attorney S. F. Alderman
returned from Crosby this noon.

Nettleton Sells and Rents Houses.
Col. Freeman Thorp, of Hubert,

was a Brainerd business visitor today.

There will be services at 7:30 Fri-
day evening at St. Paul's Episcopal
church.

Rev. Eliot Carlson went to Deer-
wood this afternoon, to return in the
evening.

For Sale Mill wood. Phone 36-R.
W. E. Hodgkins, of the Hodgkins Con-
struction Co., went to Walker this
afternoon.

Attorney M. E. Ryan has been at
International Falls attending to legal
matters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Breen, of Crosby,
are the proud parents of twins, a boy
and a girl.

For SPRING WATER Phone 264.
—Adv.

The Law Enforcement League will
hold a meeting in Gardner hall to-
morrow night to consider matters re-
lative to the coming political cam-
paign.

Next Sunday evening at the Swed-
ish Baptist church the service will
be held in English. The singing and
Pastor Colvin's sermon will all be in
English. One and all are cordially
invited to attend.

Fire at 3:30 this morning called
the department to the Brainerd cafe
of Tom Mansuras where a chimney
fire had burned a hole in the roof.
It was quickly extinguished, no dam-
age being done to the restaurant.

Large garpe fruit, 5c each. Or-
anges 15c dozen. Turcotte Bros.—
Adv.

On display at the J. F. Murphy &
Co. clothing store is the Fred Gil-
bert trophy, a silver loving cup, to be
contested for by members of the Riv-
erside Gun club at the Sunday after-

noon shoot, March 14. The cup was
donated by the Dupont Powder Co.

Judge W. S. McClenahan will leave
Monday for Grand Rapids where he
will hold district court. The first
case on the calendar is a fire case
wherein a railway company is prose-
cuted and it bids fair to last, accord-
ing to reports from counsel, from
three to six weeks.

Electric vacuum cleaner for rent.
Brainerd Electric Co. 218-1m

The mid-week service of the First
Congregational church will be held
tonight at the home of Mrs. S. Walk-
er and Mrs. J. L. Frederick, North
Seventh street, a short Lenten ad-
dress will be given by the minister.
Services will commence at 7:30 p.
m. sharp.

Turcotte Bros. new Studebaker
truck was put in commission this
morning and customers were deliver-
ed their groceries with commendable
promptness. Wm. Turcotte says the
truck has enlarged the area of their
operations, customers being taken on
now who in the past had been too
distant from the store. He has re-
ceived six calls for his horse by pos-
sible purchasers.

Warwick whiskey, Schmidt's beer
famous for quality. Tel 164, Coates
Liquor Co.—Adv.

The Bemidji high school basketball
team passed through Brainerd today
on its way to Little Falls to play the
high school team there. They have
won nine victories this season, every
game played. This includes McIn-
tosh, Grand Forks Independent, two
games from Abbeley, two from Brainerd,
also Ada, Aitkin and Park Rap-
ids. A victory over Little Falls to-
night gives them the basketball cham-
pionship of high schools of the sixth
congressional district.

When your chimney clogs up and
smokes, use Anti-Carbon. D. M.
Clark & Co.—Adv.

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MODERN BAYONETS.

Rigid Tests They Must Pass Before
They Go Into Service.

Any soldier will tell you that nothing
in his equipment wears better than
his bayonet, for this few inches of
steel seldom snaps or loses its shape
however great the strain imposed upon
it. This is because the modern bay-
onet has to pass through twenty-three
severe tests before it is considered fit
to be attached to a soldier's gun.

A bayonet blade is forged from the
finest steel, and the first stage of its
manufacture consists of heating it un-
til red hot, when it is placed under a
hammer which deals 1,500 blows a
minute. This process results in the
original piece of steel being hammer-
ed out to twice its length. The bar is
then heated again and rolled between
two huge iron cylinders, which press
it into the rough shape of a blade.

Emery wheels then grind its edges un-
til they are as sharp as a razor.

Altogether the bayonet passes through
200 processes before it is ready for the
testing room.

The first test applied to the polished
blade is the "striking" test. A steel
arm grips the bayonet and with great
force drives it against a solid piece of
wood. A badly produced blade snaps
like a needle, but a good piece of steel
emerges from this severe test with its
edges straight and unblunted.

Then comes the bending test. "The
point of the bayonet is firmly gripped
in a vice, and it is bent and twisted
into part of a circle. If it survives
this ordeal the blade is placed straight
up under a heavy weight attached to
a lever. The steel is bent beneath the
weight, and to pass this test it must
lift up the mass of iron by its own
elasticity.

However badly bent, a good bayonet
should spring back perfectly straight,
and it is tested for this quality before
leaving the factory. The blade is
placed on a curved block, the point be-
ing secured in a hole. The bayonet is
then bent to the curvature of the
block, and when released it must
spring back to its original straightness
to satisfy the rigid ruling of the in-
spector. Altogether a bayonet has to
pass twenty-three tests with regard to
its accuracy and strength.—London
Answers.

So He Might.

Fair Dog Owner (anxiously)—I am
so afraid poor Floss is going to have
rabies, Mr. Vet. Mr. Vet.—Indeed,
miss! I don't see any signs of it.
Fair Dog Owner—But his poor little
tongue is always hanging out of his
mouth. Mr. Vet.—That, miss, is in ac-
cordance with a merciful dispensation
of Providence. You see, if it hung out
of his ear he might experience some
difficulty in drinking.—Exchange.

Explained.

"Miss Blunt is wonderfully pleased
with her portrait in the paper this
morning."

"Is she? I'm pretty sure nobody
would recognize it."

"Yes, that's what pleases her."—
Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Whole Family.

"What are you doing there with the
paper and scissors, Elsie?"

"Making a pig, mamma."

"A pig! You're making a litter."—
Boston Transcript.

Impossible.

Fortune Teller—I can see money
coming to you and no sickness what-
ever. Client—That's funny, I'm the
new doctor on the floor below!—New
York Globe.

The Styles Are Different

Our Buyers:—who are now in the east say the ex-
treme new style in coats, suits, skirts, dresses and
waists are just beautiful. All these pretty new things
will be shown at Murphy's Smart Shop.

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SEE THEM

THE HOUSE OF
THE PRETTY THINGS

POWDER AND BALL

The Deadly Successors to Man's
First Crude Weapons.

FROM JAVELIN TO CORDITE.

Cannon and Guns Are Merely in the
Nature of Chemical Catapults—The
Introduction of Explosives and the
Principles Governing Them.

When the first man in the old stone
age thousands of years ago threw his
first javelin against a hairy mammoth
he put his foot over the threshold of
the problem of explosives. For it
seemed to him—and our feelings today
are with him—that it would be more
pleasurable if one could hurt and kill
one's enemy without the gratuitous
thrill of having to sit on the massive
tusk on the verge of a cavernous
mouth or of having to approach

in a few paces of the huge legs which
might the next moment descend upon
him. It would be more convenient to
stand at the cave entrance on a dizzy
ledge of rock and hurl a weapon at the
distant enemy.

So man was driven to invent the
catapult, and a gun is merely a chemical
catapult. The trigger is pulled
back like the leather of the catapult,
and the sudden and extraordinary ex-
pansion of the explosive corresponds
to the elasticity of the rubber or
spring, the essential feature of both
instruments being the employment of
some source of more than human
power which can be made to yield up
its energy at a given moment in the
required way.

Explosives are, therefore, tabloid en-
ergy or power, and it is a just reminder
of the fact that some substances are
explosive generally, whereas quite a
number of common things may be
made explosive by some particular
kind of treatment. When water boils
on the fire there is no explosion as it
is changed into steam, but if the spout
were sealed and the whole of the wa-
ter could be changed into steam in a
second there would be an explosion.
And the instance is good because it is
really a kitchen model of a volcano.
Moreover, steam guns were used in
America in the sixties.

The essential idea of an explosive is
then the violent release of some pent-
up thing; just the opposite, from this
standpoint, of the catapult, which
works by allowing a distended thing—the
elastic—to contract suddenly,
whereas all explosives release a com-
pressed thing. The release gives rise
to an air wave, and this, of course, is
experienced as a sound. It is the
sound which is popularly called an ex-
plosion.

Now, it has been said that an explo-
sive is tabloid force, power, energy.
How is it made available? It is easy
to follow the mechanism of an explo-
sive further. Explosives, as common-
ly used, are solid substances which, by
burning, produced almost instantane-
ously an extraordinary large volume of
gases. The heat and pressure of a
blow cause the burning to start, and
the burning also produces heat which,
acting upon the gases, increases the
volume still further. It may be sug-
gested that there is no obvious reason
why even a sudden and enormous ex-
pansion should cause the damage of
an explosion. And the suggestion is
quite just.

It is only when they are confined
that explosives are really dangerous.
Gunpowder burned in the open merely
causes a noise like "puff" and burns
quickly. Gunpowder may be burned on
the hand—it is not to be recommended
as a fashionable hobby—without any
serious inconvenience. Indeed, gun-
powder was first used as an incendiary
composition. But a firework or a gun
charged with gunpowder will explode
with a loud report and may cause fa-
tal wounds.

Gunpowder is the best known ex-
plosive mixture. It is made from the
commonest ingredients—carbon, sul-
phur and saltpetre. There are several

modifications of gunpowder, other
nitrates being substituted for the salt
peter—potassium nitrates. The nitrates
give the oxygen to the mixture, with-
out which it would not burn at all.
Other explosive mixtures containing
chlorates which have the same amount
of oxygen as saltpetre and the nitrates.
The different powders are used in dif-
ferent circumstances where a more
violent or a slower or a safe explosive
is required, for it is not always the
same effect which one asks from an
explosive. Velocity may at times be
sacrificed, say, in favor of a higher
weight of common shell. Gunpowder
is a "low" explosive. Its explosion is
slow, and its effect is less violently
disruptive.

Dynamite is probably the best known
"high" explosive, and the name does
not stand for one particular substance,
but for a large class, which are, in ef-
fect, diluted nitroglycerin and which
are generally used for blasting.

Gunpowder may be described as a
mixture of cotton wool (which the
chemist would call cellulose). Both
nitroglycerin and gunpowder are less
useful as explosives themselves than
their derivatives, although Russia and
the United States use compressed wet
gunpowder in their high explosive
shells. One of the most famous de-
rivatives is the smokeless propellant
called cordite.—Philadelphia Ledger.

It is not what the best men do but
what they are that constitutes their
benefaction to their fellow men.—Phil-
lips Brooks.

WATER AND LIGHT.

Why One Can See Deep into the Sea
When High Above It.

The reason why one is able to see to
a greater depth in water when he is
at a considerable height above it than
when he stands on a level with it is be-
cause of the absence of pronounced re-
fraction by the molecules of water.
One above the surface of perfectly
still water, looking exactly downward
toward the center of the earth, will
see an object deep in the water by
means of rays of light that have been
reflected vertically upward. Therefore
there is no refraction or bending of the
rays out of their straight course from
object to eye.

But if you attempt to see an object at
the bottom of a lake when standing on
the bank the light has to traverse a
much greater thickness of water,
which quenches a portion, or maybe
all, of the waves of light, and all not
quenched are bent to quite a distance
out of the original straight line. And the
well known index of refraction of light
of one kind from water to air is
1.336, or the ratio of the sines of angles
of incidence and refraction.

Proof: Place a straight stick in a
basin, and it will appear to be straight
as it really is; pour in water and the
stick will appear to be bent by the
phenomena attending refraction. For
without refraction of light by glass,
for instance, we could not have tele-
scopes and microscopes.—Edgar Lu-
cien Larkin in New York American.

Earning a Spanking.

A lady who had company to tea re-
proached her little son several times,
speaking, however, very gently. At
last, out of patience, she said sharply:
"Jimmy, if you don't keep still I'll
send you away from the table!"

"Yes; that's what you always do
when there's company and there are
not enough cakes to go round!" was
the reply of the gifted youth.—Pear-
son's Weekly.

Curious Old Lace.

Of all the curious kinds of lace, espe-
cially old lace, the most curious is that
which is called point tresse. It is very
rare and was made of human hair.
French collectors say it exists in the
present day only in their cabinets. It
was confined to the early part of the
sixteenth century.

A Musical Feud.

"How do you like your new flat?"

"All right, except that a fellow
across the hall be learning to play the
cornet."

"You ought to get a trombone."

"I did; that's why he got the cor-
net."—Boston Transcript.

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The first secret is a clean, healthy scalp.
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tle. Mason's Magic Shampoo cleanses the
scalp thoroughly and frees it from dandruff
and excessive oil. The tonic action of its
vegetable oils and antiseptics stimulates the
underlying glands and promotes growth of
the hair, giving it fluidness and a beautiful,
silkiness. Hair dries quickly and evenly
and is easy to do up. Use Mason's Magic
Shampoo for 10 days and you'll marvel at
your beautiful hair. 25c—50c per package.

This is a remarkable genuine hair tonic,
different from and vastly superior to all
others. It positively contains no alcohol.
Alcohol too quickly absorbs the natural oil
of the hair and scalp, making it excessively
dry and thereby creates dandruff and brittle
hair. Mason's Magic Hair Tonic keeps the
scalp in a healthy condition free from dan-
druff and by its stimulating action of the hair
follicles, aids the growth of the hair. It al-
most immediately stops the hair from fall-
ing out and speedily creates a new and
abundant growth. Money refunded if it
fails. 50c per bottle.

On sale at H. P. Dunn's Drug Store.

ANTICS OF TUMBLEWEED.

This Curious Bushy Growth Is the
Clown of Vegetation.

Though Mark Twain tells about cor-
netes and prairie dogs, animals which I
looked for, but regret to say I did not
see, he ignores the tumbleweed, the
most curious thing—animal, vegetable
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WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAR. 17

Soloists Will be J. A. Winther, Mrs. Nels Johnson, C. Jensen, Lester Bredenberg

The Swedish Mission choir will give a grand concert at the church, corner of Ninth and Maple streets on Wednesday evening, March 17, at 8:15 o'clock.

The choir will be heard in English and Swedish songs and will sing under the direction of Prof. J. A. Winther, with Miss Jennie Wilson as accompanist. Soloists assisting will be J. A. Winther tenor, Mrs. Nels Johnson soprano, Miss Ellen Lind piano, Christian Jensen and Lester Bredenberg, violinists. The program includes:

1. Prelude
 - (a) "Vi Lofva och Upphöja dig"
 - (b) "Seger Sång"-----Ashford Choir
2. (a) Romanze ----- Mac Dowell
(b) Morgen Stimmung-----Grieg
Miss Ellen Lind
3. "Meditation" from "Thais"-----Massenet
Christian Jensen
4. (a) Jag är Främling"-----Lorenz
(b) "Vi Tåga Fram med Segerfröjd"-----Ashford Choir
5. "Carneval de Venise"-----Paganini
Lester Bredenberg
6. "O Divine Redeemer"-----Gounod
J. A. Winther
- Violin obligato, Christian Jensen
7. "From the Throne of His Cross" From "The Crucifixion"-----Stainer
Choir
8. "Fear Not Ye O Israel"-----Buck
Mrs. Nels Johnson
9. "Hungarian Air"-----Keler Bela
Christian Jensen
10. (a) "Blessed are the Merciful"-----Hilte
(b) "Sanctus"-----Gounod
Choir

Young Peoples Guild

The Young Peoples Guild of the St. Paul's Episcopal church held an interesting session at the home of F. J. Britton, 323 Vine street last evening.

After the business meeting a short program was rendered, Rev. Caleb Benham, rector of the parish, Morris Folsom, organist of the church, Mrs. McCulloch, Miss Echo Britton, Miss Evelyn Erickson, and George Coun taking part.

Light refreshments were served, and the company broke up at a reasonable hour, after a vote of thanks to the Britton family for their kind hospitality.

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Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. Address Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv't.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Clara Donant went to Pine River this afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Hetting returned to her home in St. Paul this afternoon.

Mrs. A. B. Hitch has returned from a three months' visit with her mother in Liscomb, Iowa.

Miss H. McNair and Miss Margaret A. Taylor, of Cloquet, were Brainerd visitors yesterday.

Miss Carrie Morrison went to Chicago yesterday to purchase spring styles in millinery for the Grandelmyer hat shop.

Miss Austrid Hegstrom and Miss Sarah Johnson, a sister and friend of Mrs. Andrew Grand, arrived from Minneapolis for a two or three weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Grand of South Tenth street.

GOLD MEDAL CONTEST

Women's Oratorical Contest at First Baptist Church to be Held Tuesday Evening, March 16th

There will be a gold medal oratorical contest on Tuesday evening, March 16, at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Women's Christian Union.

Several young ladies and gentlemen, who have previously won silver medals in contests similar to this, will be the contestants. Good music will be furnished by one of the best choirs in the city.

The judges will be Mrs. Irma Camp Hartley, Rev. A. B. Colvin, of the Swedish Baptist church and M. R. Dennison, principal of Brainerd high school.

TO LECTURE ON DRAMA

Rev. John W. Powell to Speak of "Theatre as a Social Force" Friday, March 19th

Rev. John W. Powell, of Minneapolis, will speak on "The Theatre as a social Force" at the next meeting of the Brainerd Musical club held Friday evening, March 19th, at Elks hall.

WIFE'S PLEA WINS RESPITE

Wilson's Intervention Saves Five Men From Prison.

Washington, March 11.—President Wilson granted a respite of thirty days to J. R. Markley, I. B. Miller, A. G. Stewart, W. H. Armstrong, Jr., and C. M. McMahon, connected with the International Lumber company, and under sentence by the federal court at Philadelphia on charges of conspiracy to defraud through the use of the mails.

Executive Clemency is said to have been won by the wife of one of the five men.

RESOURCES ARE TOO GREAT

President of Reichstag Says Germany Cannot Be Starved.

London, March 11.—Germany is not to be conquered by starvation. Our enemies did not reckon with our economic strength, with the organized strength of our agriculture, commerce and industry and the unity of our nation and firm determination to win.

This was the declaration made in the German reichstag by the president of that body, according to a Berlin dispatch received by Reuter's Telegram company.

Love, Life and Eugenics.

Suppose the eugenists could have their way and banish love, who would care to live? What purpose would life have? It would have none. There would be no life, only an existence, wearisome and dull. The world feels that love is beautiful, it sees in practice that it is true. Love makes the world, love keeps it, only to love shall it be given in the future. Therefore have poets sung it and story tellers told of it; therefore do eyes shine and cheeks burn for it. Therefore it is the soul of art, of music, of literature.—Atlantic Monthly.

Liked the Quarters.

A passenger in a Pullman car was inclined to be rather friendly with the porter, but had not as yet given him any tip.

"Do you enjoy your position?" the man asked as the porter was brushing his coat.

"Yes, sah," replied the colored fellow. "I likes de quarters heah very much—when I gits 'em."—Harper's Magazine.

Sometimes They Come True.

First Tramp (musingly)—Do you know, pard, they say dreams never come true? Second Tramp—They do sometimes. When I was a kid I used to dream of the time I could wear long pants. I wear them now all right, and nobody ever wore them any longer.—Brunonian.

DAILY DISPATCH

FASHION SUGGESTIONS



YOUTHFUL RUSSIAN FROCK.

Youthful frock built on Russian lines, the long tunic belted by a narrow band of broadcloth, embroidered in blue. Plain V neck, finished in black with director collar. Plain skirt, fastening at side. Trimming of broadcloth covered ball buttons.

To Hold Annual Meeting

The Women's Home and Foreign Missions society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Barker, corner of Eighth and Holly streets, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This is the annual meeting when the election of officers takes place and reports are made. All members are urged to be present.

Twilight Workers

The Twilight Workers of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet at the home of C. A. Erickson, 112 East Quince street on Friday evening.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 10.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.51½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.50¾; No. 2 Northern, \$1.45½@1.47; Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.86½.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, March 10.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.44@1.48¾; No. 2 Northern, \$1.40@1.45¾; No. 2 Montana hard, \$1.44¾@1.46¾; corn, 67¢@68¢; oats, 54¢@54½¢; barley, 68¢@78¢; rye, \$1.10@1.11; flax, \$1.87.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 10.—Wheat—May, \$1.51¾; July, \$1.19¾; Sept., \$1.08¾. Corn—May, 72½¢; July, 74½¢. Oats—May, 56¾¢; July, 52¾¢. Pork—May, \$17.57½; July, \$17.95. Butter—Creameries, 28½¢. Eggs—16½¢@17½¢. Poultry—Springs, 17¢; fowls, 16½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 10.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.80; cows and heifers, \$3.30@7.75; calves, \$6.50@9.75. Hogs—Light, \$6.60@6.87½; mixed, \$6.60@6.90; heavy, \$6.30@6.85; rough, \$6.30@6.45; pigs, \$5.75@6.70. Sheep—Native, \$7.00@8.10; yearlings, \$7.75@8.90.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, March 10.—Wheat—May, \$1.42¾; July, \$1.37¾; Sept., \$1.10½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.48¾; No. 1 Northern, \$1.44¾@1.49; No. 2 Northern, \$1.40¾@1.45¾; No. 3 Northern, \$1.35¾@1.43¾; No. 3 yellow corn, 67¢@68½¢; No. 3 white oats, 54¢@54½¢; flax, \$1.87.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, March 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,700; Steers, \$4.50@7.75; cows and heifers, \$4.50@6.40; calves, \$3.50@8.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.25@6.85. Hogs—Receipts, 4,600; range, \$6.00@6.60. Sheep—Receipts, 300; lambs, \$4.00@9.00; wethers, \$5.25@7.50; ewes, \$2.00@7.10.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, March 10.—Hay—Choices timothy, \$15.25@16.00; No. 1 timothy, \$14.00@14.50; No. 1 clover mixed, \$11.60@12.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$11.00@11.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$11.50@12.25; choice upland, \$14.50@15.25; No. 1 upland, \$13.00@13.75; No. 1 midland, \$8.50@9.25; No. 1 alfalfa, \$14.00@14.75.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MOVEMENT

World Movement at Brainerd, April 8 to 11—Margaret Slattery Leading Attraction

The Fifty-seventh annual convention of the Evangelical Sunday school of Minnesota convenes at Brainerd, April 8 to 11. The organization back of this convention is the Minnesota Sunday School Association, through which the Evangelical denominations are co-operating to carry "The Bible by the Hand of the Living Teacher to Every Man, Woman and Child in the State." The officers of the association are President J. H. Martin, Minneapolis; Vice-president, W. D. Willard, Mankato; General Secretary, A. M. Locker, St. Paul.

Christian co-operation is the vital principal of this association and its scope is most comprehensive, being part of the great organized Sunday school movement which heads up in the World's Sunday School Association—a Christian army of 32,000,000 Sunday school teachers, officers and scholars whose commander is the Prince of Peace.

The International association stands between the World's Sunday Association and the State Association. Each county in the state has its county association, and the counties are divided into from two to twenty-two districts, each holding at least one convention each year, thus bringing a Sunday school convention almost to the door of every Sunday school worker in Minnesota.

The annual state convention is the climax of this Sunday school convention system. The program of this year's convention at Brainerd, April 8 to 11, surpasses that of previous years, both as to the list of instructors and lecturers as well as to the choice and arrangement of subjects. Every phase of Sunday school work will be presented with Sunday school evangelism emphasized all along the line.

There will be twenty-six sessions of the convention. The program of the six general sessions will be strongly inspirational, while the twenty sessions of the "School of Method" will be very practical. Only methods which have been tried and proven successful will be presented by successful Sunday school workers.

There will be six sections of the "School of Methods": administrative, religious education, elementary, teen age, adult and Sunday school association officers. This arrangement makes it possible for a Sunday school to begin to train a leader for each of its departments by sending him as a delegate to this convention. Every Evangelical church in the state can afford to send at least three of its Sunday school leaders to this convention.

Among the convention lecturers and instructors are Miss Margaret Slattery, Boston; Prof. W. S. Athearn of Des Moines, Iowa; Dr. W. A. Brown, Chicago; Prof. W. A. Stearns, Fargo, N. D.; W. D. Stem, Des Moines, Iowa; Rev. F. H. Brigham, Neenah, Wis.; Rev. W. A. Snow, Fargo, N. D.; Dr. Adam Geibel, Philadelphia, blind pianist and musical composer; J. Lincoln Hall, Philadelphia, song writer and chorus leader.

Five Generations of Daughters.

The birth of a daughter to Joseph and Ethel Cokeley of Kansas City, Mo., completed a line of five generations of daughters. This makes the third time in the last ten years that in this family five generations of daughters have been living.

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MUSIC AND DRAMA

At the Grand

Young customs officer, tonight, in "The Vaudry Jewels," is forced to make choice between love and duty chooses the honorable course and later marries the woman he sends to jail—Two reel detective drama featuring Edna Maison, is very sensational and clean.

J. Warren Kerrigan as "Terence O'Rourke in "A Captain of Villains," for Friday and Saturday. Beautiful settings of drama laid in Tangiers, Morocco. Kerrigan stars in these stories as the gallant Irish adventurer, who sets all Europe by the ears and foils the plots and counterplots of Russian and Balkan spies and diplomatic agents. This the last of these stories and the best. Five and six reels every night.

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More mysterious than ever, Miss May continues a great drawing card at the opera house. Without the least hesitation, without any trickery, she answers the most extraordinary questions. On Friday of this week after the matinee audience is dismissed, she will give a demonstration for ladies only, answering whatever questions of a private nature that may be asked. The men will be asked to leave the theatre during this demonstration, and all ye men who have been naughty to your wives or sweethearts, who have done something that wife knows nothing about, will have their secret history spread out for inspection. Several prominent business men have requested Manager Hall to call this extra session "off," but he refused.

The excellent company of ten people appearing nightly with Miss May will present on Thursday evening that grand old play with its unequalled story of love and misunderstanding, which Baulah Poynter made famous, "Lena Rivers," dramatized from the book. On Friday night the feature play will be offered, "Beware of Men." This is a white slave play and one that every father and mother, every girl and boy should see. This is a royalty play, the original of which is playing in New York City now to packed houses.

Miss May appears at every performance.

OSSIPPEE ITEMS

Eugene Ankeney has finished cutting wood and returned to Brainerd.

Mr. and Mrs. Halley Roach were Brainerd visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul Markee called on Mrs. Linn Lougee Tuesday.

W. H. Dunham underwent an operation at St. Joseph's hospital last week and is getting along nicely.

Leeland Lougee is working for a couple of weeks for Ernest Dunham at Parkerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregor Koering are visiting a few days at S. R. Lougee's. Minnie Gertrude, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Young died Tuesday morning of pneumonia. Services were held at the house Thursday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Young have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement. Three of their other children have the whooping cough.

MAE.

Gustavus Adolphus Society

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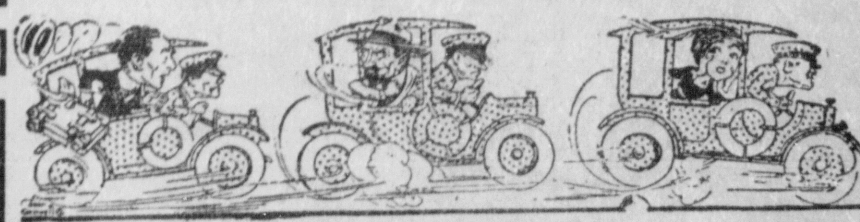
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A PLEA FOR THE LAW

The Minneapolis Journal contains the following in regard to the Elwell law which will be interesting reading to those interested, on both sides:

The opposition to the Elwell law comes from the older settled portions of the State, where there is not so much need for its aid. Somehow the notion has got abroad in these counties that some of the burden falls on them.

The argument was even made in the senate that, if all the counties of the State were to take advantage of the Elwell law to the limit of its possibilities, a State debt of fifteen million dollars would straightway be created. This argument, foolish as it is, actually turned enough votes at the last minute in the Senate to pass the repeal bill.

In the first place, it would be one of the finest things in the world if fifteen million dollars could be spent on good roads in this State immediately. It would enhance the value of every acre of land in the State, would lead to incredible development in every direction, and would bring back the investment a hundred fold in all sorts of ways.

But there isn't the slightest danger of such a thing under the Elwell law. Not more than half the counties, and those the undeveloped ones, will build Elwell roads. To do so they must themselves, through their county commissioners, twice formally approve each proposal. Likewise the State Highway Commission must at two different times give its approval—once at the outset, and once when the completed plans and details are available.

No county can, of course, exceed its own proportion of the State roads fund. Each county can use that share either for Elwell or for Dunn roads or divide it between them. If an Elwell road is built, the State's payments from this fund are anticipated for ten years by a bond issue. That is all.

It would be selfish and short-sighted for the older counties to take this rapid and economically sound method of road-building away from the newer counties. It costs the older counties nothing. And it means everything to the undeveloped or partially developed country.

It is to be hoped that the House members from the South and Southwest will take a broad and fair-minded view of this matter. Amendments are offered by the friends of the law to remove every reasonable objection. Some of these in practice will needlessly obstruct the process of getting roads built. But rather than lose the essential machinery of the law, they will be conceded.

Let us by all means save the Elwell law!

No use of lifting off to Florida or California if we are to have this kind of weather. Minnesota weather beats any climate in the world, and that the year round.

A town managed entirely by women, what do you think of that, and under the commission form of government. Such is the distinction of Pales Park, Illinois. This town is not so very large, consisting of 318 persons, 83 of whom are adult women and 72 are men of voting age.

No salaries are paid the women who manage the affairs and the revenues are spent in improving the roads.

Several sixth district papers are giving their readers articles from the pen of Congressman Lindbergh, who always has a subject handy to interest the voters. The next election is some time off but a good politician always keeps in the limelight and the Little Falls statesman is no exception to the rule, in fact he believes more in printer's ink today than he did when first elected to congress.

Senator Moses E. Clapp equates again at progressivism and indicates clearly that his candidacy for reelection to the United States senate will be based on a desire to hold on to the republican progressives, and the progressives, according to a Washington telegram, which says the indications are taken from a letter addressed to the chairman of the executive committee of the progressive party. One sometimes wonders if all the things are true that have been said and printed about "Our Moses" in a political way during the past few years. He has been well used at the hands of his Minnesota republican friends and they are watching some of his movements with something akin to wonder.

It is a significant fact that many prominent men throughout the country are taking a lively interest in the "National New Farming Association," launched by Col. Freeman Thorp, of this county. The county officials of Crow Wing county, the officers of the Chamber of Commerce, the First National bank and many other institutions of like character throughout this county and in the northwest, have already taken membership in the association, and many business and professional men are doing so. The name, occupation and address of each member will be printed in the new "Farmer's Magazine," unless otherwise requested, and will go to 3,000 other members in every part of the world, thus showing the farmers and the country who are taking an active interest in, not simply better farming, but the best farming, that quadruples crop productions.

Bandeau For the Hair.

A hair ornament that is very attractive and one that would make an acceptable gift is of rhinestones mounted on blue velvet. There is a narrow bandeau to go about the head and two curved ends that stand upright. They are all formed of a string of rhinestones held on a wired twist of sapphire blue velvet.

WOULD LET MEN EARN FARMS

Forward to Land League Asks Federal Co-operation.

A delegation representing the National Forward to the Land League of New York conferred with Secretary Wilson, Assistant Secretary Post and Secretary of Agriculture Houston in an effort to secure co-operation of the departments of commerce and agriculture in the movement.

The delegation was composed of Mrs. Hayland Lund, D. J. Meserole, C. C. Higgins and George H. Polhemus of New York. The secretaries were informed that the league believed a man who had no money should be given an opportunity to earn the first payment for a farm and that men with no knowledge of farming should be trained.

The delegation was advised to place before both departments in a formal manner the steps it desired them to take to co-operate in the movement.

THE NEW CHARTER

Edited by the members of the Charter Commission favorable to new charter.

The new charter to be voted on in April will be distributed before long. The law does not compel the publication nor the distribution of the same. It is being done, however, to give every one an opportunity to read it and then ask questions. Meanwhile it is deemed advisable to give an epitome of parts of the charter, from time to time, explaining the features of these various parts, thereby making it easier for you to read the printed form, and easier to understand when you know in a way what is coming. Often a question will bring out a point which is important but may be overlooked by us. We also invite your contributions to these columns, for after we have explained generally the contents of the charter we will publish arguments on those points which are generally picked out as being plows. Remember we want you to send us your questions. We will answer all that can be answered, and hope thereby to clear up some other voter's mind.

OUR PREAMBLE

"No form of government can in and of itself produce good results. The most that any plan can do is to provide an organization which LENDS itself to EFFICIENT action, and which at the same time places in the hands of the electorate some simple and effective means for controlling their government in their own interests. Beyond that results can only be obtained thru an enlightened public opinion."

Chapter V, Sections 48 and 49
Civil Service

Council appoints three members to constitute a civil service board. No compensation. Term six years. Board makes rules and regulations, with the approval of the council, for conducting its business. Shall provide a classification for all employees, except day laborers, city attorney, city engineer, mayor (manager), officers of election boards, special policemen, special detectives, and other temporary employees.

Shall provide for open competitive and free examinations as to fitness for an eligibility list from which vacancies shall be filled for a period of probation before employment is made permanent, and for promotion on basis of merit, experience and record.

Employees in office when this charter is adopted, and coming under the scope of this provision, may retain their positions if appointed by the Mayor, without taking examinations.

Council may by ordinance confer upon the board further rights and duties necessary to enforce and carry out the principles of this charter.

CURIOUS FERRYBOATS.

Crossing the River at Simla is a Comical Performance.

Perhaps the most curious ferryboat to be found in the world is at Simla. The river that flows to the northeast of Simla, the chief town of the Simla hill states, has few bridges, so necessity being the mother of invention, a novel method has been adopted.

The skin of a buffalo is inflated with air and is placed, with the four feet upward, to float in the water. The owner then throws himself over it and the one or two passengers sit or lean on the top of him. By means of a small paddle in his right hand and the movement to and fro of his legs in the water the owner takes his passengers across.

The journey takes from three to five minutes, and the modest sum of a pie (one-half cent) is charged. It is only by repeated crossings in a day that a man can earn much, but so many natives use this means of going to and from their villages that the trade is not unremunerative.

Few things are more comical than these muskies, whether moving in midstream or being carried back to the village at night on the owner's back. They are, of course, very light and are about two and a half yards long.

They seem to be safe, except in monsoon weather, when heavy rain has caused a rapid current, but at such a time two muskies are often linked together, so that, being heavier, they can avoid the rocks.—London Strand Magazine.

Vindictive.

Clara (haughtily)—I went to the theater every night last week and had a different escort each time.

Fair Rival (vindictively)—You should be more cautious, my dear.

"Cautious?"

"Yes, my dear. All natured people all over the town are saying you can't get the same man to go with you twice."—London Mail.

Cause and Result.

"Our dairymaid's cows look dejected." "Maybe that is why our milk is so blue."—St. Paul Dispatch.

OAK LAWN RESOLUTIONS

Approving the Efforts of the Board of Supervisors and Town Clerk in Opposing Elwell Law

The following resolution was unanimously approved by the voters of the Town of Oak Lawn.

Resolved that the voters of the Town of Oak Lawn appreciate and approve the efforts of our board of supervisors and clerk in opposition to the building of roads in our county under the Elwell Law. We further request that they continue their efforts and go before the county board at the proper time if they think it necessary. We do not believe that the county should be bonded to build roads in any direction.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be sent to our Honorable Representatives in the State Legislature asking their support in the repeal of the Elwell law.

Resolution for Highway Home Rule

Whereas, the road law of the state now gives to the state highway commission and its engineers unlimited control and arbitrary power to plan and superintend all road work in the state, and

Whereas, a large part of the money the taxpayers have paid into the various road funds has been wastefully used for extravagant supervision and recklessly squandered in experimental and incompetent engineering,

Be it resolved, that we, qualified voters of Oak Lawn township, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, assembled in annual meeting this 9th day of March, 1915, hereby express our unalterable opposition to state control of road-building, whether state, county or town funds are involved, as an unwarranted interference with the right of a self-governing community to manage its own affairs. No matter by what name a road is known, whether state, county or town nearly every dollar in the fund is obtained from taxation of property in the local community, hence the local people through their duly elected officials should have the exclusive right to supervise and control the expenditure of the money.

Be it further resolved, that we most urgently request our senators and representatives in the legislature to amend the law, so supervision and control by the state highway commission may be entirely eliminated, and the local boards may plan and superintend road work, and the board of county commissioners and not the state highway commission may be empowered to employ, when necessary, engineers to superintend the construction of work.

Be it further resolved, that we hereby organize the Highway Home Rule club of Oak Lawn township, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, to which the chairman of the town board shall be president and the town clerk secretary, and that these officers are hereby instructed to co-operate with similar clubs in other townships in a state wide campaign against the despotic rule of the highway commission and to keep up the fight until the legislature now in session of a succeeding one removes every vestige of control and supervision from this state commission and vests these powers in local boards elected by the people.

The above resolution was duly passed by the voters of Oak Lawn Township, Crow Wing County, Minnesota this 9th day of March, 1915.

G. S. McCULLOCH,
Chairman Town Board.
JOSEPH FRIEDSAM,
JOHN W. OLSEN,
Supervisors.

Attest:
GEO. W. KEOUGH,
Town Clerk.

Note—The Dispatch has received a set of resolutions from Deerwood, signed by E. J. Winquist, as town clerk, an exact duplicate of the above, which were passed in that town.—Editor.

Heartless Hoax.

"My wife gave a reception yesterday."

"Did you attend?"

"Yes. I played a practical joke on her. I got in line where she was receiving, and before she knew it she was snubbing and saying she was glad to see me—for the first time in three years."—Washington Star.

He Strove to Please.

Lord Charles Beresford tells in his memoirs the story of an old Irish gamekeeper who always agreed with everything that was said to him.

Meeting the old man one day when the wind was blowing a gale, Lord Charles said to him, "It's a fine, calm day today."

"You may well say that, Lord Charles," replied the gamekeeper with hearty acquiescence, "but what little wind there is is terrible strong."

A Jar to Him.

"Then you didn't enjoy seeing cobwebs in session?"

"No, I did not," admitted the efficiency expert. "They made so many unnecessary motions."—Judge.

A True Report.

"I heard you had a big blowout at your house yesterday."

"So I had. Two tires on my auto burst."—Baltimore American.

Gentle Hint.

He—Once for all, I demand to know who is master in this house? She—You'll be happier if you don't find out.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Within the last year OUR licensed saloons have been responsible for one tragedy the cost of which was so great to our community that the license money received for the entire year seems small compared to the loss. BUT THIS MUST BE MULTIPLIED A number of times to compute the loss our community is sustaining every year in this same manner.

A Home Broken Up

The parents of eight small children patronized the saloon which the voters license, so persistently that they became irresponsible for the duties parenthood placed upon them. Charitable organizations and philanthropic individuals did their best to have the parents give up their parties and care for the children for which they were responsible. Time and time again the saloon undone all that had been attempted and the parents finally became so sotten from the products of OUR saloons that the civil authorities had to take recognition of the case. The children were sent to some of the state's institutions and the parents set adrift.

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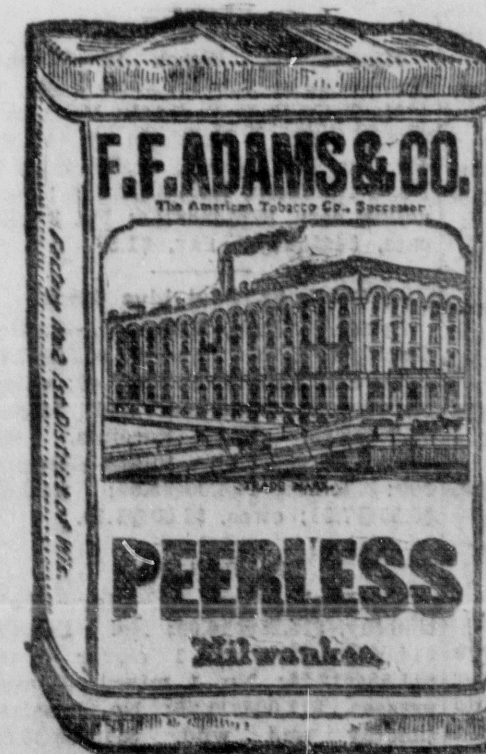
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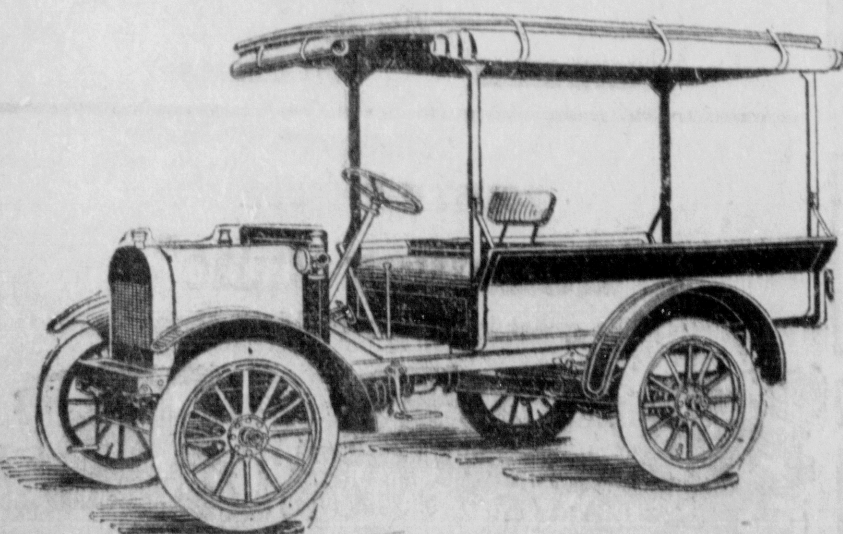
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A PLEA FOR THE LAW

The Minneapolis Journal contains the following in regard to the Elwell law which will be interesting reading to those interested, on both sides:

The opposition to the Elwell law comes from the older settled portions of the State, where there is not so much need for its aid. Somehow the notion has got abroad in these counties that some of the burden falls on them.

The argument was even made in the senate that, if all the counties of the State were to take advantage of the Elwell law to the limit of its possibilities, a State debt of fifteen million dollars would straightway be created. This argument, foolish as it is, actually turned enough votes at the last minute in the Senate to pass the repeal bill.

In the first place, it would be one of the finest things in the world if fifteen million dollars could be spent on good roads in this State immediately. It would enhance the value of every acre of land in the State, would lead to incredible development in every direction, and would bring back the investment a hundred fold in all sorts of ways.

But there isn't the slightest danger of such a thing under the Elwell law. Not more than half the counties, and those the undeveloped ones, will build Elwell roads. To do so they must themselves, through their county commissioners, twice formally approve each proposal. Likewise the State Highway Commission must at two different times give its approval—once at the outset, and once when the completed plans and details are available.

No county can, of course, exceed its own proportion of the State road fund. Each county can use that share either for Elwell or for Dunn roads or divide it between them. If an Elwell road is built, the State's payments from this fund are anticipated for ten years by a bond issue. That is all.

It would be selfish and short-sighted for the older counties to take this rapid and economically sound method of road-building away from the newer counties. It costs the older counties nothing. And it means everything to the undeveloped or partially developed country.

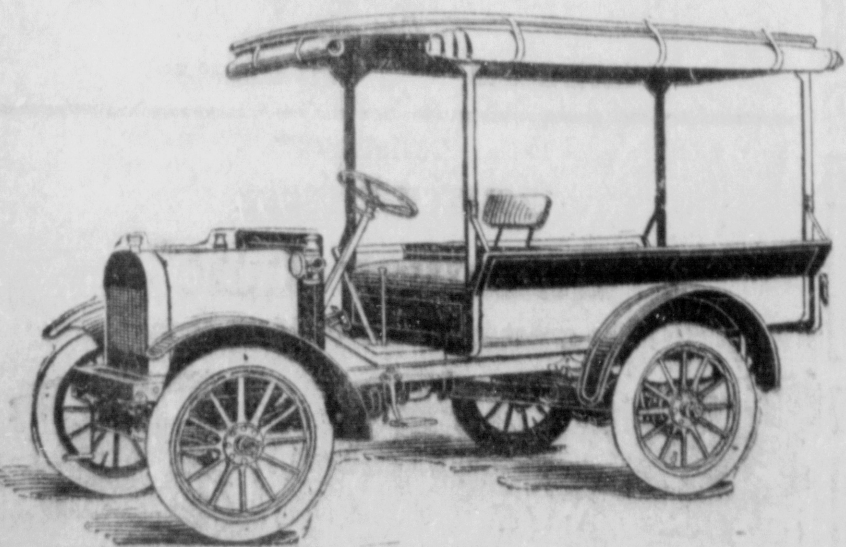
It is to be hoped that the House members from the South and Southwest will take a broad and fair-minded view of this matter. Amendments are offered by the friends of the law to remove every reasonable objection. Some of these in practice will needlessly obstruct the process of getting roads built. But rather than lose the essential machinery of the law, they will be conceded.

Let us by all means save the Elwell law!

No use of hitting off to Florida or California if we are to have this kind of weather. Minnesota weather beats any climate in the world, and that the year round.

A town managed entirely by women, what do you think of that, and under the commission form of government. Such is the distinction of Palos Park, Illinois. This town is not so very large, consisting of 318 persons, 83 of whom are adult women and 72 are men of voting age.

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Several sixth district papers are giving their readers articles from the pen of Congressman Lindbergh, who always has a subject handy to interest the voters. The next election is some time off but a good politician always keeps in the limelight and the Little Falls statesman is no exception to the rule, in fact he believes more in printer's ink today than he did when first elected to congress.

Senator Moses E. Chapp squints again at progressivism and indicates clearly that his candidacy for reelection to the United States senate will be based on a desire to hold on to the republican progressives, and the progressives, according to a Washington telegram, which says the indications are taken from a letter addressed to the chairman of the executive committee of the progressive party. One sometimes wonders if all the things are true that have been said and printed about "Our Moses" in a political way during the past few years. He has been well used at the hands of his Minnesota republican friends and they are watching some of his movements with something akin to wonder.

It is a significant fact that many prominent men throughout the country are taking a lively interest in the "National New Farming Association," launched by Col. Freeman Thorp, of this county. The county officials of Crow Wing county, the officers of the Chamber of Commerce, the First National bank and many other institutions of like character throughout this county and in the northwest, have already taken membership in the association, and many business and professional men are doing so. The name, occupation and address of each member will be printed in the new "Farmer's Magazine," unless otherwise requested, and will go to 3,000 other members in every part of the world, thus showing the farmers and the country who are taking an active interest in, not simply better farming, but the best farming, that quadruples crop productions.

Bandeau For the Hair.

A hair ornament that is very attractive and one that would make an acceptable gift is of rhinestones mounted on blue velvet. There is a narrow bandeau to go about the head and two curved ends that stand upright. They are all formed of a string of rhinestones held on a wired twist of sapphire blue velvet.

WOULD LET MEN EARN FARMS

Forward to Land League Asks Federal Co-operation.

A delegation representing the National Forward to the Land League of New York conferred with Secretary Wilson, Assistant Secretary Post and Secretary of Agriculture Houston in an effort to secure co-operation of the departments of commerce and agriculture in the movement.

The delegation was composed of Mrs. Hayland Lund, D. J. Meserole, G. C. Higgins and George H. Pothomus of New York. The secretaries were informed that the league believed a man who had no money should be given an opportunity to earn the first payment for a farm and that men with no knowledge of farming should be trained.

The delegation was advised to place before both departments in a formal manner the steps it desired them to take to co-operate in the movement.

THE NEW CHARTER

Edited by the members of the Charter Commission favorable to new charter.

The new charter to be voted on in April will be distributed before long. The law does not compel the publication nor the distribution of the same. It is being done, however, to give every one an opportunity to read it and then ask questions. Meanwhile it is deemed advisable to give an epitome of parts of the charter, from time to time, explaining the features of these various parts, thereby making it easier for you to read the printed form, and easier to understand when you know in a way what is coming. Often a question will bring out a point which is important but may be overlooked by us. We also invite your contributions to these columns, for after we have explained generally the contents of the charter we will publish arguments on those points which are generally picked out as being plows. Remember we want you to send us your questions. We will answer all that can be answered, and hope thereby to clear up some other voter's mind.

OUR PREAMBLE

"No form of government can in and of itself produce good results. The most that any plan can do is to provide an organization which LENDS itself to EFFICIENT action, and which at the same time places in the hands of the electorate some simple and effective means for controlling their government in their own interests. Beyond that results can only be obtained thru an enlightened public opinion."

Chapter V, Sections 48 and 49
Civil Service

Council appoints three members to constitute a civil service board. No compensation. Term six years. Board makes rules and regulations, with the approval of the council, for conducting its business. Shall provide a classification for all employees, except day laborers, city attorney, city engineer, mayor (manager), officers of election boards, special policemen, special detectives, and other temporary employees.

Shall provide for open competitive and free examinations as to fitness for an eligibility list from which vacancies shall be filled for a period of probation before employment is made permanent, and for promotion on basis of merit, experience and record.

Employees in office when this charter is adopted, and coming under the scope of this provision, may retain their positions if appointed by the Mayor, without taking examinations.

Council may by ordinance confer upon the board further rights and duties necessary to enforce and carry out the principles of this charter.

CURIOUS FERRYBOATS.

Crossing the River at Simla is a Comical Performance.

Perhaps the most curious ferryboat to be found in the world is at Simla. The river that flows to the northeast of Simla, the chief town of the Simla hill states, has few bridges, so necessity being the mother of invention, a novel method has been adopted.

The skin of a buffalo is inflated with air and is placed, with the four feet upward, to float in the water. The owner then throws himself over it and the one or two passengers sit or lean on the top of him. By means of a small paddle in his right hand and the movement to and fro of his legs in the water the owner takes his passengers across.

The journey takes from three to five minutes, and the modest sum of a pie (one-half cent) is charged. It is only by repeated crossings in a day that a man can earn much, but so many natives use this means of going to and from their villages that the trade is not unremunerative.

Few things are more comical than these muskats, whether moving in midstream or being carried back to the village at night on the owner's back. They are, of course, very light and are about two and a half yards long.

They seem to be safe, except in monsoon weather, when heavy rain has caused a rapid current, but at such a time two muskats are often linked together, so that, being heavier, they can avoid the rocks—London Strand Magazine.

Vindictive.

Clara (haughtily)—I went to the theater every night last week and had a different escort each time.

Fair Rival (vindictively)—You should be more cautious, my dear.

"Cautious?"

"Yes, my dear. Well natured people all over the town are saying you can't get the same man to go with you twice."—London Mail.

Cause and Result.

"Our dairyman's cows look dejected." "Maybe that is why our milk is so blue."—St. Paul Dispatch.

OAK LAWN RESOLUTIONS

Approving the Efforts of the Board of Supervisors and Town Clerk in Opposing Elwell Law

The following resolution was unanimously approved by the voters of the Town of Oak Lawn.

Resolved that the voters of the Town of Oak Lawn appreciate and approve the efforts of our board of supervisors and clerk in opposition to the building of roads in our county under the Elwell Law. We further request that they continue their efforts and go before the county board at the proper time if they think it necessary. We do not believe that the county should be bonded to build roads in any direction.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be sent to our Honorable Representatives in the State Legislature asking their support in the repeal of the Elwell law.

Resolution for Highway Home Rule

Whereas, the road law of the state now gives to the state highway commission and its engineers unlimited control and arbitrary power to plan and superintend all road work in the state, and,

Whereas, a large part of the money the taxpayers have paid into the various road funds has been wastefully used for extravagant supervision and recklessly squandered in experimental and incompetent engineering,

Be it resolved, that we, qualified voters of Oak Lawn township, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, assembled in annual meeting this 9th day of March, 1915, hereby express our unalterable opposition to state control of road-building, whether state, county or town funds are involved, as an unwarranted interference with the right of a self-governing community to manage its own affairs. No matter by what name a road is known, whether state, county or town nearly every dollar in the fund is obtained from taxation of property in the local community, hence the local people through their duly elected officials should have the exclusive right to supervise and control the expenditure of the money.

Be it further resolved, that we most urgently request our senators and representatives in the legislature to amend the law, so supervision and control by the state highway commission may be entirely eliminated, and the local boards may plan and superintend road work, and the board of county commissioners and not the state highway commission may be empowered to employ, when necessary, engineers to superintend the construction of work.

Be it further resolved, that we hereby organize the Highway Home Rule club of Oak Lawn township, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, to which the chairman of the town board shall be president and the town clerk secretary, and that these officers are hereby instructed to co-operate with similar clubs in other townships in a state wide campaign against the despotic rule of the highway commission and to keep up the fight until the legislature now in session of a succeeding one removes every vestige of control and supervision from this state commission and vests these powers in local boards elected by the people.

The above resolution was duly passed by the voters of Oak Lawn Township, Crow Wing County, Minnesota this 9th day of March, 1915.

G. S. McCULLOCH,
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Attest:
GEO. W. KEOUGH,
Town Clerk.

Note—The Dispatch has received a set of resolutions from Deerwood, signed by F. J. Winkquist, as town clerk, an exact duplicate of the above, which were passed in that town.—Editor.

Heartless Hoax.

"My wife gave a reception yesterday."

"Did you attend?"

"Yes, I played a practical joke on her. I got in line where she was receiving, and before she knew it she was sniffling and saying she was glad to see me—for the first time in three years."—Washington Star.

He Strove to Please.

Lord Charles Bessford tells in his memoirs the story of an old Irish gamekeeper who always agreed with everything that was said to him.

Meeting the old man one day when the wind was blowing a gale, Lord Charles said to him, "It's a fine, calm day today."

"You may well say that, Lord Charles," replied the gamekeeper with hearty acquiescence, "but what little wind there is is terrible strong."

A Jar to Him.

"Then you didn't enjoy seeing congress in session?"

"No, I did not," admitted the efficiency expert. "They made so many unnecessary motions."—Judge.

A True Report.

"I heard you had a big blowout at your house yesterday."

"So I had. Two tires on my auto burst."—Baltimore American.

Gentle Hint.

He—Once for all, I demand to know who is master in this house? She—You'll be happier if you don't find out.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Paid Advertisement.

This advertisement, costing \$2.70 per issue, is authorized and paid for by the Brainerd Law Enforcement League.

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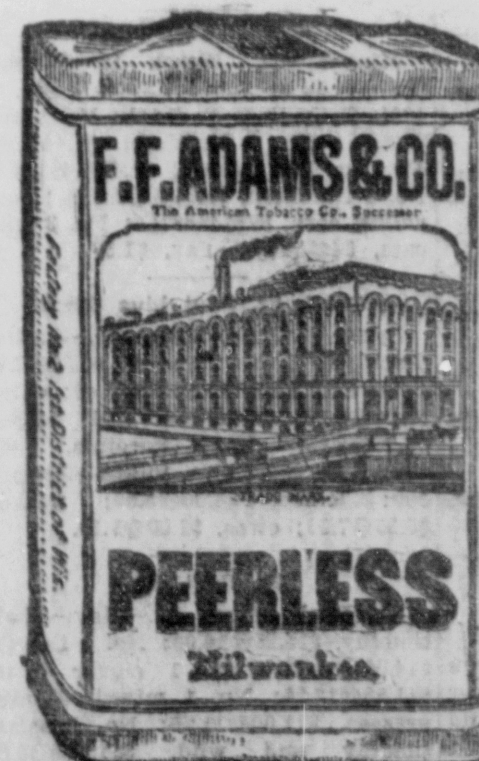
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ALLEN D. ALBERT TO SPEAK SOON

Three New Members Taken into Chamber—Association Unanimously Endorses Elwell Law

The Chamber of Commerce, at its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, favored the amending of its articles of incorporation to include another vice president and the secretary was instructed to ascertain the cost and to see if such amendment can be published free by one of the papers of the city.

Announcement was made that Allen D. Albert, of Minneapolis, former associate editor of the Minneapolis Tribune, will speak at the club rooms on or about April 13. He had been invited through the co-operation of Rev. G. P. Sheridan. Mr. Albert is now a secretary of the Minnesota civic and commercial federation. He is nationally known as a political writer and at one time was a Washington correspondent. Now he has left the political arena and is devoting his time to civic work.

The advisory board recommended that the Chamber of Commerce go on record as favoring the Elwell road law and on motion this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Three new members were accepted into membership, C. C. Nicholson, W. H. Porter and Gerald Wright, the latter employed at the Farmers Produce Co. of Brainerd.

The Chamber of Commerce went on record that its rooms shall not be used for political meetings.

The Associated Charities submitted a communication asking the Chamber to donate to their work. It was recommended by the advisory board that the same be referred to the investigation committee for a report.

The house and social committee is planning on a dancing party for members and their friends in the early part of April and the net proceeds will be turned over to the Associated Charities.

A report from the house and social committee was made recommending that a quantity of soap be purchased for use in the club rooms, also a number of rubber cuspidor mats. A bill of \$7.25 was recommended for payment, being the charge for framing the county maps donated by Louis Hohman.

A report from a joint committee, public affairs, city development and city officers, unanimously recommending that the Chamber of Commerce go on record as favoring the new charter was submitted together with a recommendation from the advisory board that action be deferred until March 24 and that postal card notices be sent each member announcing that the Chamber shall then bring up the charter and with all notified shall

TOWNSHIP AND VILLAGE ELECTIONS

PLATTE LAKE

Supervisors—L. M. Magnuson, Chr., J. W. Hergy, M. D. Gorton. Clerk—F. S. Walker. Assessor—J. N. Wunderlich. Treasurer—H. A. Grand. Justice—H. Fleischer. Constable—Geo. Fleischer.

\$250 was voted for town revenue tax, 15 mills for road and bridge tax, 1/4 mill for the poor fund.

then give its expression of opinion on the same.

A. J. Elliot spoke on canneries and the success a Princeton friend had who canned the humble pumpkin, 200,000 of them annually and who made \$1,500 a year from his bee farm.

Secretary Hansing, in answer to questions of Mr. Elliot and P. B. Nettleton, said the present was not an auspicious time for a cannery in this territory. There was a shortage in corn and the price of corn had discouraged canneries.

W. J. Wilson said there was eight inches of water on Northeast Brainerd streets, sewers were plugged and said the streets and boulevards committee should take it up with the council. Water in the streets, however, is something which every section of the city is enduring.

Secretary Hansing said the present city council did not respond freely, there was not much money on hand and their term of office would soon expire.

Hugo Schwartzkopf wanted to know where the wheelage tax money went to.

Secretary Hansing said the manufacturing committee would shortly consider the offer of a promoter to raise funds in Brainerd for new manufacturing purposes, he to get his pay on a percentage basis of the money raised.

ANNOUNCEMENT

You are going to elect an assessor this spring.

Many of my friends have told me that I would make a good assessor, they know that I have been buying and selling nearly every line of merchandise used in Brainerd, as well as real estate, for the past thirty-two years, and therefore should be a good judge of true values, I agree with them, and believing I can give you a satisfactory assessment, I respectfully solicit your vote at the coming election.

A. L. HOFFMAN.

Advt.—23713—w1

Discuss Problems

The Wileofphildan Club held its first meeting last night, the theme for discussion being "Sociological Problems in the Life of the City". This club meets from time to time, discussions are provoked along the line of civic improvement, after which refreshments are served by the member entertaining.

"THE FOUR LEAF SHAMROCK" PLAY

To be Presented at Brainerd Opera House for the Benefit of St. Francis Catholic Church

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAR. 17

M. J. Daly, of Perham, Noted Orator, to Speak on "Irish Character" Following Play

"The Four Leaf Shamrock" will be presented at the Brainerd opera house on Wednesday evening, March 17, for the benefit of St. Francis Catholic church. It is a comedy-drama of intense interest and a finished production is promised. The three acts are laid in County Mayo, Ireland. The cast includes these young people:

Lord Kilgaven ----- Jack Mooney
Mr. O'Gorman, pride of the old castle ----- Walter Emerson
His wife, Mathilda -----

----- Miss Agnes Cullen
Hugh Dillivan, lover of Rose -----
----- Werner Hemstead
Rose O'Gorman ----- Miss Adella Koop
Irish servant girl ----- Miss Alma Kaupp
Tourist lady, Miss Tattleton -----

----- Miss Katherine Canan
A solo will be sung between the acts by A. J. Mraz.

Sharing honors with the play as an attraction will be the oration delivered by that peerless speaker, M. J. Daly, of Perham, whose subject will be "Characteristics of Irish Character."

For lofty thought, beautiful imagery, striking illustrations and perfect delivery, Mr. Daly is unequalled as a speaker and to miss hearing him is to miss a great treat.

Music will be furnished by Graham's orchestra. There will be violin solos by Edwin Harris Bergh and John Goedderz.

Tickets will be on sale Tuesday evening, March 16 at Dunn's drug store, prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Special Masonic Meetings

A special meeting of Ascalon Commandery, No. 16, Knights Templar, will be held this (Thursday) evening at the Masonic rooms in the Iron Exchange building for the purpose of installing the newly elected officers.

A special convocation of Brainerd Chapter No. 42, Royal Arch Masons, will be held on Friday evening for work in the Past Master degree. A full attendance is desired.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending March 12, 1915. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Barrows Mississippi Iron Co.
Hicks, Mr. Gus.
Hoff, Mr. Edwin.
Jones, Miss Shirley.
Knowlin, Mr. Fred.
Mott, J. L.
Quayle, Fred.
Reed, Hon. A. H.
Roberts, Mrs. H. G.

H. P. DUNN, P. M.

WOODROW NEWS

The first seven cars of ore were shipped from the Wilcox mine Monday.

Arthur Peterson of Peterson Bros., is on the sick list this week. Pete is taking his place at the store.

R. W. Seelye, of Duluth, was in Woodrow Tuesday on business connected with the mine.

All those that attended the show and dance at Nokay lake Saturday night had a good time and from general reports Mr. and Mrs. Smiley are high class entertainers.

Mrs. L. Edquist came home Tuesday from Crosby for a short visit.

Master Mechanic Ross of the Wilcox mine went to Ironton Tuesday to spend a couple of days with his family.

Stop that Cough—Now

When you catch cold, or begin to cough, the first thing to do is to take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It penetrates the linings of the throat and lungs and fights the germs of the disease, giving quick relief and natural healing. "Our whole family depend on Pine-Tar-Honey for coughs and colds," writes Mr. E. Williams, Hamilton, Ohio. It always helps. 25c at your Druggist.—Advt.

As the report cards appear from month to month parents are requested to scan them carefully in each subject before signing the same and it would be a good practice and in many instances, would have a beneficial effect, if both mother and father would examine them before their return to the school. It not infrequently happens that in the case of low marks, marks below 80 per cent, that parents are led to believe by the pupil that a whole class is getting a similar mark and that the average compares favorably with that of the rest of the room. We suggest that in all such instances where marks are low that you consult the teacher either by telephone or better by personal interview. When par-

REPORT OF CITY SCHOOLS

Supt. W. C. Cobb says March Attendance in All Schools Reached Average of 98.1 per cent

WHOOPIING COUGH PREVALENT

Application is to be Made for Department of Agriculture in the High School

Supt. W. C. Cobb, of the city schools of Brainerd, submits the following interesting report for the month of March.

As was expected the attendance for the month in all the schools reached the high average of 98.1, with the Harrison building again in the lead. The low attendance in several of the lower grades, particularly in the primary rooms, was due largely to whooping cough.

The first state examinations of the year in grade subjects will occur during the present month beginning on Thursday, March 25. Parents whose children are in the upper grades, seventh and eighth, should see to it that the attendance and home study are carefully observed during the few weeks of review preparatory to the examinations.

The following is the program:

March 25, Thursday—

Spelling ----- 8:30 a. m.

English Grammar ----- 9:00 a. m.

American History ----- 2:00 p. m.

March 26, Friday—

Arithmetic ----- 8:30 a. m.

8th Grade Com ----- 10:30 a. m.

Geography ----- 2:00 p. m.

A number of the Brainerd teachers are on the program for the St. Cloud District Association meeting which occurs during the present month.

At the last meeting of the board of education, it was decided to make application for a department of agriculture in our local high school and the secretary was instructed to fill out the necessary blanks.

The applications for an agriculture department are not acted upon finally until the state high school board meets for that purpose during the summer but meanwhile the blanks will be filled and the state superintendent, the state high school inspector and other members of the board will be interviewed personally concerning the needs of such a department for Brainerd.

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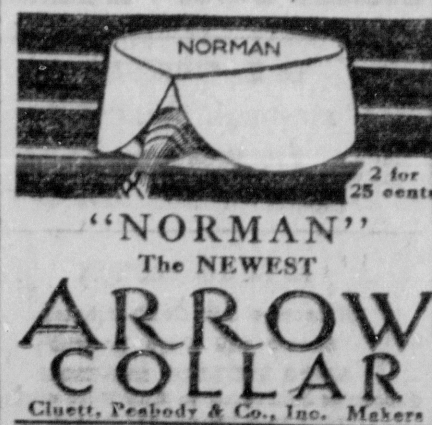
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HELP WANTED.

GIRL Wanted at Herbert's lunch room. 2361f

WANTED—Place to do housework. Address Z, Dispatch. 23713p

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Heck—In what state were you married? Peck—In a state of mental irresponsibility.—Boston Transcript.

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ARTICLES ARE TO BE AMENDED

Chamber of Commerce Decides to Add Another Vice President to its List of Officers

ALLEN D. ALBERT TO SPEAK SOON

Three New Members Taken into Chamber—Association Unanimously Endorses Elwell Law

The Chamber of Commerce, at its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, favored the amending of its articles of incorporation to include another vice president and the secretary was instructed to ascertain the cost and to see if such amendment can be published free by one of the papers of the city.

Announcement was made that Allen D. Albert, of Minneapolis, former associate editor of the Minneapolis Tribune, will speak at the club rooms on or about April 13. He had been invited through the co-operation of Rev. G. P. Sheridan. Mr. Albert is now a secretary of the Minnesota civic and commercial federation. He is nationally known as a political writer and at one time was a Washington correspondent. Now he has left the political arena and is devoting his time to civic work.

The advisory board recommended that the Chamber of Commerce go on record as favoring the Elwell road law and on motion this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Three new members were accepted into membership, C. C. Nicholson, W. H. Porter and Gerald Wright, the latter employed at the Farmers Produce Co. of Brainerd.

The Chamber of Commerce went on record that its rooms shall not be used for political meetings.

The Associated Charities submitted a communication asking the Chamber to donate to their work. It was recommended by the advisory board that the same be referred to the investigation committee for a report.

The house and social committee is planning on a dancing party for members and their friends in the early part of April and the net proceeds will be turned over to the Associated Charities.

A report from the house and social committee was made recommending that a quantity of soap be purchased for use in the club rooms, also a number of rubber cuspidor mats. A bill of \$7.25 was recommended for payment, being the charge for framing the county maps donated by Louis Hobman.

A report from a joint committee, public affairs, city development and city officers, unanimously recommending that the Chamber of Commerce go on record as favoring the new charter was submitted together with a recommendation from the advisory board that action be deferred until March 24 and that postal card notices be sent each member announcing that the Chamber shall then bring up the charter and with all notified shall

TOWNSHIP AND VILLAGE ELECTIONS

PLATTE LAKE
Supervisors—L. M. Magnuson, Chr., J. W. Hergy, M. D. Gorton.
Clerk—F. S. Walker.
Assessor—J. N. Wunderlich.
Treasurer—H. A. Grand.
Justice—H. Fleischer.
Constable—Geo. Fleischer.
\$250 was voted for town revenue tax, 15 mills for road and bridge tax, 1/4 mill for the poor fund.

then give its expression of opinion on the same.

A. J. Elliot spoke on canneries and the success a Princeton friend had who canned the humble pumpkin, 200,000 of them annually and who made \$1,500 a year from his bee farm. Secretary Hansing, in answer to questions of Mr. Elliot and P. B. Nettleton, said the present was not an auspicious time for a cannery in this territory. There was a shortage in corn and the price of corn had discouraged canneries.

W. J. Wilson said there was eight inches of water on Northeast Brainerd streets, sewers were plugged and said the streets and boulevards committee should take it up with the council. Water in the streets, however, is something which every section of the city is enduring.

Secretary Hansing said the present city council did not respond freely, there was not much money on hand and their term of office would soon expire.

Hugo Schwartzkopf wanted to know where the wheelage tax money went to.

Secretary Hansing said the manufacturing committee would shortly consider the offer of a promoter to raise funds in Brainerd for new manufacturing purposes, he to get his pay on a percentage basis of the money raised.

ANNOUNCEMENT

You are going to elect an assessor this spring.

Many of my friends have told me that I would make a good assessor, they know that I have been buying and selling nearly every line of merchandise used in Brainerd, as well as real estate, for the past thirty-two years, and therefore should be a good judge of true values. I agree with them, and believing I can give you a satisfactory assessment, I respectfully solicit your vote at the coming election.

A. L. HOFFMAN.

Advt.—23713—w1

Discuss Problems

The Whicofphidan Club held its first meeting last night, the theme for discussion being "Sociological Problems in the Life of the City". This club meets from time to time, discussions are provoked along the line of civic improvement, after which refreshments are served by the member entertaining.

"THE FOUR LEAF SHAMROCK" PLAY

To be Presented at Brainerd Opera House for the Benefit of St. Francis Catholic Church

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAR. 17

M. J. Daly, of Perham, Noted Orator, to Speak on "Irish Character" Following Play

"The Four Leaf Shamrock" will be presented at the Brainerd opera house on Wednesday evening, March 17, for the benefit of St. Francis Catholic church. It is a comedy-drama of intense interest and a finished production is promised. The three acts are laid in County Mayo, Ireland. The cast includes these young people:

Lord Kilgaven ----- Jack Mooney
Mr. O'Gorman, pride of the old castle ----- Walter Emerson
His wife, Mathilda -----

Miss Agnes Cullen
Hugh Dillyvan, lover of Rose -----
Werner Hemstead

Rose O'Gorman ----- Miss Adella Koop
Irish servant girl ----- Miss Alma Kaupp
Tourist lady, Miss Tattleton -----

Miss Katherine Canan
A solo will be sung between the acts by A. J. Mraz.

Sharing honors with the play as an attraction will be the oration delivered by that peerless speaker, M. J. Daly, of Perham, whose subject will be "Characteristics of Irish Character."

For lofty thought, beautiful imagery, striking illustrations and perfect delivery, Mr. Daly is unequalled as a speaker and to miss hearing him is to miss a great treat. Music will be furnished by Graham's orchestra. There will be violin solos by Edwin Harris Bergh and John Goedderz.

Tickets will be on sale Tuesday evening, March 16 at Dunn's drug store, prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Special Masonic Meetings

A special meeting of Ascalon Commandery, No. 16, Knights Templar, will be held this (Thursday) evening at the Masonic rooms in the Iron Exchange building for the purpose of installing the newly elected officers.

A special convocation of Brainerd Chapter No. 42, Royal Arch Masons, will be held on Friday evening for work in the Past Master degree. A full attendance is desired.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending March 12, 1915. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Barrows Mississippi Iron Co.
Hicks, Mr. Gus.
Hoff, Mr. Edwin.
Jones, Miss Shirley.
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Quayle, Fred.
Reed, Hon. A. H.
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H. P. DUNN, P. M.
WOOROW NEWS

The first seven cars of ore were shipped from the Wilcox mine Monday.

Arthur Peterson of Peterson Bros., is on the sick list this week. Pete is taking his place at the store.

R. W. Seelye, of Duluth, was in Woodrow Tuesday on business connected with the mine.

All those that attended the show and dance at Nokay lake Saturday night had a good time and from general reports Mr. and Mrs. Smiley are high class entertainers.

Miss L. Edquist came home Tuesday from Crosby for a short visit.

Master Mechanic Ross of the Wilcox mine went to Ironton Tuesday to spend a couple of days with his family.

Stop that Cough—Now

When you catch cold, or begin to cough, the first thing to do is to take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It penetrates the linings of the throat and lungs and fights the germs of the disease, giving quick relief and natural healing. "Our whole family depend on Pine-Tar-Honey for coughs and colds," writes Mr. E. Williams, Hamilton, Ohio. It always helps. 25c at your Druggist.—Advt.

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REPORT OF CITY SCHOOLS

Supt. W. C. Cobb says March Attendance in All Schools Reached Average of 98.1 per cent

WHOOPIING COUGH PREVALENT

Application is to be Made for Department of Agriculture in the High School

Supt. W. C. Cobb, of the city schools of Brainerd, submits the following interesting report for the month of March.

As was expected the attendance for the month in all the schools reached the high average of 98.1, with the Harrison building again in the lead. The low attendance in several of the lower grades, particularly in the primary rooms, was due largely to whooping cough.

The first state examinations of the year in grade subjects will occur during the present month beginning on Thursday, March 25. Parents whose children are in the upper grades, seventh and eighth, should see to it that the attendance and home study are carefully observed during the few weeks of review preparatory to the examinations.

The following is the program:

March 25, Thursday—
Spelling..... 8:30 a. m.
English Grammar..... 9:00 a. m.
American History..... 2:00 p. m.

March 26, Friday—
Arithmetic..... 8:30 a. m.
8th Grade Com..... 10:30 a. m.
Geography..... 2:00 p. m.

A number of the Brainerd teachers are on the program for the St. Cloud District Association meeting which occurs during the present month.

At the last meeting of the board of education, it was decided to make application for a department of agriculture in our local high school and the secretary was instructed to fill out the necessary blanks.

The applications for an agriculture department are not acted upon finally until the state high school board meets for that purpose during the summer but meanwhile the blanks will be filled and the state superintendent, the state high school inspector and other members of the board will be interviewed personally concerning the needs of such a department for Brainerd.

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By John Fleming Wilson

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The first places they visited gave up no information of value. The third pawnbroker looked at Dorr curiously when he asked whether a man had been in to dispose of an idol.

"That thing seems to be wanted pretty much," he remarked. "But I bought it in good faith and sold it to a Hindu a little while after for a rug. Maybe you would like to buy a rug?"

They made it plain that rugs did not interest them and departed with the poor satisfaction of knowing that the object of their search was in the hands of an unknown wandering peddler of rugs, who was presumably an East Indian.

"We can't do any more just now," John told Ruth.

"No," was the response. "But I am going to keep an eye out for a Hindu rug seller. I don't imagine there are very many of them here, so it ought to be an easy matter to pick him up."

As they walked back to the hotel Ruth grew more cheerful. "At any rate, Wilkerson and Mrs. Darnell missed it," she remarked.

"I never understood just why that woman mixed herself up in this," John

East Indian peddler was concerned. Whether Dorr had recovered the image from him he did not know.

CHAPTER XXII.

THAT night Wilkerson sought out Jean Darnell. She received him in a manner that told him distinctly that she was in a towering rage, though she was outwardly calm.

Wilkerson paid no attention apparently to her blazing eyes nor to her restrained, "Well, once more your schemes have failed."

"Not failed," he said boldly. "I admit we nearly passed up what we were looking for. Do you remember that idol that was in the chest?"

Jean stopped her nervous pacing of the floor and fixed her great, tawny eyes on Wilkerson.

"Harry," she said huskily, "I am weary of this."

"Wait a moment," he pleaded. "When I went back to the launch I found that Dorr had been quizzing the men about that image."

"And I suppose he had got it."

"No, he didn't. One of the sailors

CAPITAL STILL A BUSY PLACE

Although Legislators Have Left, Departments Are Working.

WILSON GREATLY RELIEVED.

Sees Danger of Foreign Complications When the Hobsons and Other War Orators Have Unlimited Opportunities to Make Speeches—Senator Thomas of Colorado Disgusted.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, March 11.—[Special].—Although congress is in recess, much that is interesting is happening at Washington. While the president is greatly relieved because he no longer has congress on his hands, he still has troubles, relating mostly to foreign complications.

As long as the European war lasts the capital of America will be a point of great interest, for much depends upon the course of the United States in the great conflict. It is well known that efforts are constantly being made to draw the United States into the war, and seemingly the people who are making these efforts do not care upon which side this country embarks.

There seems to be a general belief that there is less danger of war with Europe when congress is not in session for the reason, it is believed, that no inflammable speeches of an official character are made.

A Case In Point.

There was an illustration of this point during the closing night of the recent session of congress. Minority Leader Mann had control of time, and Hobson of Alabama wanted to get time for a speech. "I will not yield," said Mann. "You know on what subject I am going to talk," said Hobson. "Oh," replied Mann, "I know that you want to get us into trouble of some kind."

The president fears that the Hobsons and others who talk war so often would perhaps cause trouble if congress continued in session all the time.

A Disgusted Senator.

Ever since he came to the senate Thomas of Colorado has made an earnest plea for economy, but he has not succeeded in making any impression. One night he saw an omnibus clause bill put through in short order followed by the river and harbor bill and followed soon after by the volunteer officers' bill. All of them distributed money quite freely, and although all had encountered much earnest opposition, and it would not have required much of a filibuster to have defeated them, they went through on a general understanding of a log rolling character.

Not Fooled a Bit.

Vice President Marshall was not fooled a bit by the resolution of thanks which passed at the close of the senate. It was the usual perfunctory resolution and Marshall knew it. More than that, he believed that the senators did not have a high opinion of him as a presiding officer. So he told them in choice language that though he knew they were handing him "bunk," he intended to regard it as the real stuff and treasure it accordingly.

Wilson Had His Way.

How any one can say that the president is not all powerful after the exhibition at the close of congress will be a mystery. In the rural credits proposition it is a fact that McCumber caught the administration men off guard and put in his amendment. If the house really wanted to it could have adopted that amendment, but instead the whole matter was stricken out and new matter inserted. Then both were allowed to go by the board and both houses of congress accepted the commission idea. Had it not been for the power exerted by the president, this could not have been done because failure to enact rural credits legislation will give many Democrats a lot of explaining to do at home.

A Continuous Body.

The senate is a continuous body. The house has ceased to exist. There is no speaker, no committees and no organization of the house. The officers continue to hold their jobs and the clerks and all others will remain on the payroll, but there is no house. The senate committees continue, and resolutions passed by the senate still remain in force; hence it is that the lobby committee still exists. It can meet and transact business. It could hold hearings, and will probably draft a report to be submitted next December. By that time everybody will have forgotten what it was all about.

Selling and Buying.

One of the many bills rushed through congress at the close of the session related to selling a piece of land in North Dakota. "They are selling the man who buys it," remarked Jim Mann. "But I have been robbed so often and seen the government robbed so often in these land matters that I am not going to kick over a little thing like this."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

February 27, 1915

Andrew Bresler and wife, to J. H. Strickler, lot 5, blk 74, Brainerd, wd \$1250.

Ole I. Plattum and wife, to W. H. Wellen, lot 4 except 1.16 acres of 22-135-29, wd \$817.

March 1, 1915.

S. C. Herbst, unmarried, to M. E. Hitch, lots 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, blk 59, Brainerd, wd \$450. Iron Range Townsite Co., Inc., to Mabel Steele, lots 1 and 2, blk. 7, Barrows, spec, wd, \$800.

March 2, 1915

Fred Buchanan, single, to Herman Bangren, frac. nw of nw of lot 4, of 1-46-28, wd, \$1,000.

The Brainerd State Bank to William P. Hildebrandt, n½ of se of 13-44-31, special wd—\$2,800. Ada Maud Brundage and hus., to Herbert E. Welchel, all of e½ (except ne of ne) of 22-135-29, wd—\$6000. Elizabeth Carow, widow and Henry Carow, unmarried to Brainerd State bank of Brainerd, n½ se of 13-44-31. Assgmt of contract and qcd—\$1, etc.

Freeman A. Cate to Township of Lake Edwards, part ne of ne of 21-135-28, wd.—\$5.

Lucey B. Donaldson, widow, to David Judd, lot 10 and n½ lot 11, blk 168, Brainerd, wd.—\$1 etc. Orelund Townsite Co. to C. J. Oberg, lot 4, blk. 14, Orelund, wd.—Torrrens.

March 3, 1915

Albert Angel and wife, to Olaf A. Scarvie, e½ of se of 35-44-31, wd.—\$1 etc.

John E. Braithwaite to Ada Maud Brundage, wf of Clarence William Brundage Broker, all of e½ (except ne of ne) of 22-135-29, wd.—\$6000.

March 4, 1915

William H. Andrews and wife to Ida Thacker, lots 2 and 3, blk 4, Outing, wd.—\$25.

March 5, 1915.

Richard Ahrens and wife to Grover H. Koop, lot 12, blk 23, West Brainerd, wd.—\$50.

William H. Andrews and wife, to James Robertson, lot 1, blk. 4, platted village of Outing, wd.—\$20.

George Murphy and wife to Grover H. Koop, lot 11, block 23, town of West Brainerd, wd.—\$50.

Sarah S. Whitney and husband, to Thomas C. Blawitt, lot 3, blk. 63, Brainerd, wd.—\$175.

March 6, 1915.

No transfers.

March 8.

Lulu L. Ahrens, formerly Lulu L. Young, and hus., to Peter Thompson, lots 10-11-12, blk. 27, West Brainerd, wd.—\$100.

Everett H. Borders and wife, to Nina H. Hitch, s 8 acres of gov. lot 2, except 2 acres of 10-134-29, wd.—\$450.

John C. Hall and wife, to William T. McKeown, lot 1, ne of sw and s½ sw of 26-138-25, wd.—\$2700.

Lester Riley and wife, to James C. Morgan, nw of nw of 19-138-25, wd.—\$1 etc.

Clarence H. Smith and wife, to Katie J. Kaupp, lots 5, 6 and 7, blk. 217, First Addl. to Brainerd, g.e.d.—\$1.

Herbert Edwin Welchel to Henry Spaulding, all of e½ except ne of ne of 22-135-29, wd.—\$3,400.

March 9, 1915

Alva A. Clark, unmarried, to Everett H. Borders, se of sw of 10-134-29, wd.—\$350.

Mary Raymond and hus., to Louis Blackwood, lot 7, blk 3, Raymond's Addl. to village of Crosby, wd.—\$1, etc.

Cuyler Adams and wife to Phillip Moran, e 150 ft. of blk. 8, Hale's Addl. to Crosby, wd.—Torrrens.

HALT BRIBERY PROSECUTION

West Virginia Circuit Judge Grants Writ Forbidding Proceedings.

Charleston, W. Va., March 11.—Judge Littlepage, in circuit court here, granted a writ of prohibition staying the intermediate court of Kanawha county from further proceeding in the indictments against A. Leo Well, the Pittsburg attorney charged with conspiracy in attempting to bribe the public service commissioners.

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They made it plain that rugs did not interest them and departed with the poor satisfaction of knowing that the object of their search was in the hands of an unknown wandering peddler of rugs, who was presumably an East Indian.

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"No," was the response. "But I am going to keep an eye out for a Hindu rug seller. I don't imagine there are very many of them here, so it ought to be an easy matter to pick him up."

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"Not failed," he said boldly. "I admit we nearly passed up what we were looking for. Do you remember that idol that was in the chest?"

Jean stopped her nervous pacing of the floor and fixed her great, tawny eyes on Wilkerson.

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As long as the European war lasts the capital of America will be a point of great interest, for much depends upon the course of the United States in the great conflict. It is well known that efforts are constantly being made to draw the United States into the war, and seemingly the people who are making these efforts do not care upon which side this country embarks.

There seems to be a general belief that there is less danger of war with Europe when congress is not in session for the reason, it is believed, that no inflammable speeches of an official character are made.

A Case In Point.
There was an illustration of this point during the closing night of the recent session of congress. Minority Leader Mann had control of time, and Hobson of Alabama wanted to get time for a speech. "I will not yield," said Mann. "You know on what subject I am going to talk," said Hobson. "Oh," replied Mann, "I know that you want to get us into trouble of some kind."

The president fears that the Hobsons and others who talk war so often would perhaps cause trouble if congress continued in session all the time.

A Disgusted Senator.
Ever since he came to the senate Thomas of Colorado has made an earnest plea for economy, but he has not succeeded in making any impression. One night he saw an omnibus claims bill put through in short order followed by the river and harbor bill and followed soon after by the volunteer officers' bill. All of them distributed money quite freely, and although all had encountered much earnest opposition, and it would not have required much of a filibuster to have defeated them, they went through on a general understanding of a log rolling character.

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Vice President Marshall was not fooled a bit by the resolution of thanks which passed at the close of the senate. It was the usual perfunctory resolution and Marshall knew it. More than that, he believed that the senators did not have a high opinion of him as a presiding officer. So he told them in choice language that though he knew they were handing him "bunk," he intended to regard it as the real stuff and treasure it accordingly.

Wilson Had His Way.
How any one can say that the president is not all powerful after the exhibition at the close of congress will be a mystery. In the rural credits proposition it is a fact that McCumber caught the administration men off guard and put in his amendment. If the house really wanted to it could have adopted that amendment, but instead the whole matter was stricken out and new matter inserted. Then both were allowed to go by the board and both houses of congress accepted the commission idea. Had it not been for the power exerted by the president, this could not have been done because failure to enact rural credits legislation will give many Democrats a lot of explaining to do at home.

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The senate is a continuous body. The house has ceased to exist. There is no speaker, no committees and no organization of the house. The officers continue to hold their jobs and the clerks and all others will remain on the payroll, but there is no house. The senate committees continue, and resolutions passed by the senate still remain in force; hence it is that the lobby committee still exists. It can meet and transact business. It could hold hearings, and will probably draft a report to be submitted next December. By that time everybody will have forgotten what it was all about.

Selling and Buying.
One of the many bills rushed through congress at the close of the session related to selling a piece of land in North Dakota. "They are selling the man who buys it," remarked Jim Mann. "But I have been robbed so often in these land matters that I am not going to kick over a little thing like this."

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February 27, 1915
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S. C. Herbst, unmarried, to M. E. Hitch, lots 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, blk 59, Brainerd, wd \$450.
Iron Range Townsite Co., Inc., to Mabel Steele, lots 1 and 2, blk 7, Barrows, spec, wd, \$800.

March 2, 1915
Fred Buchanan, single, to Herman Bangren, frac. nw of nw of lot 4, of 1-16-28, wd, \$1000.
The Brainerd State Bank to William F. Hildebrandt, n 1/2 of se of 13-44-31, special wd—\$2,800.

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Elizabeth Carow, widow and Henry Carow, unmarried to Brainerd State bank of Brainerd, n 1/2 se of 13-44-31. Assgmt of contract and qcd—\$1, etc.

Freeman A. Cate to Township of Lake Edwards, part ne of ne of 21-135-28, wd.—\$5.
Lucy B. Donaldson, widow, to David Judd, lot 10 and n 1/2 lot 11, blk 168, Brainerd, wd.—\$1 etc.
Oreland Townsite Co. to C. J. Oberg, lot 4, blk. 14, Oreland, wd—Torrens.

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March 6, 1915.
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Clarence H. Smith and wife, to Katie J. Kaupp, lots 5, 6 and 7, blk. 217, First Addl. to Brainerd, g.c.d.—\$1.

Herbert Edwin Welchel to Henry Spaulding, all of e 1/2 except ne of ne of 22-135-29, wd.—\$3,400.

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Alva A. Clark, unmarried, to Everett H. Borders, se of sw of 10-134-29, wd.—\$350.
Mary Raymond and husband, to Louis Blackwood, lot 7, blk. 3, Raymond's Addl. to village of Crosby, wd.—\$1, etc.

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